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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

News of a battle on Wednesday between the Russian and Japanese fleets south of Formosa is discredited at St. Petersburg, where it is believed that Admiral Rojestvensky was a thousand miles away steaming for Vladivostok; Russians say Togo will have to fight if the Russians have to bombard a Japanese city in order to make him join battle——The proceedings of the Southern Industrial Parliament at Washington were spirited and personal yesterday; ill feeling was displayed over several matters; Mr. W. A. Irwin, of Durham, N. C., depends on President Roosevelt to boost the cotton mill industry, and the parliament shouted for the flag and an appropriation——Capt. Richmond Pearson Hobson and Miss Grizelda Houston Hull, of Tuxedo Park, N. Y., were married yesterday——There is no trace of Seigfred Roebling, the fourteen year old boy who ranaway from Asheville; the New York boy who tried to fake the runaway boy's grandfather out of $50 has been held in $1,000 for hearing——Wednesday night near his home in Edgefield county, S. C., Senator Tillman was badly hurt by being driven in a carriage over a fifteen foot embankment——The Southern Presbyterian General Assembly, at Fort Worth yesterday, could not see its way clear to undertake to establish a greater church university in Atlanta——The disorder in Jewish quater of Warsaw continued to last night, the mob visiting disreputable houses smashing the furniture, pianos and jewelry and killing eight people——New York makets yesday: Money on call easy, 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., closing bid 2, offered at 2 1-4; cotton, spot quiet, 8.50; flour slow but strong; wheat firm, No. 2 red, 110 1-2; corn firm, No. 2, 59 1-3; oats steady, mixed 35 to 35 1-2; turpentine firm 73 to 73 1-2; rosin firm.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., May 25, 1905.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 68 degrees; 8 P. M., 70 degrees; Maximum, 75 degrees; Minimum, 56 degrees; Mean, 66 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 4.82.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. yesterday (Wdenesday) 6.6 feet.

PORT ALMANAC—May 26.

Sun Rises .....4:47 A. M.
Sun Sets .....7:06 P. M.
Day's Length .....14 h. 13 m.
Hight Water at Southport ..2:40 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington..5:10 P. M.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina.—Showers Friday and Saturday; fresh southeast to south winds.

Johann Hoch denies that he is guilty of murdering his wife but is perfectly willing to be hung. Johann knows that a man who is fool enough to get roped in by 40 wives is better off under the ground where no more trouble of that kind is coming to him.

Even the rumored defeat of the Japanese fleet by Admiral Rojestvensky caused the price of cotton to drop some points in Liverpool and New York yesterday. A Russian victory on the sea simply means a prolongation of the war, and possible complications among other powers in consequence of it.

A certain class of people wouldn't let Noah's weather predications come in their house and laughed at him for building an ark to weather a shower of rain that lasted 40 days and 40 nights. Noah knew his business and proved that most of the people of the world didn't have sense enough to get in out of the wet.

Col. William J. Bryan will soón leave for Europe to study the question of municipal and government owned and operated utilities and industries. Until American municipal and State officials learn how to give us governments that are worth the name, it will be a shame to burden them with matters of real business.

It is stated that the Dutch government will give a subsidy of $290,000 towards the construction of the Palace of Peace for the court of international arbitration at The Hague. Ever since the Dutch captured Holland they have been for peace and they show it now by going down into their pockets for a laudable purpose.

Says the Washington Post: "In a couple of weeks from now we will have to pretend to be excited over the finish of that ocean yacht race without really remembering the names of the starters or what it is all about." The greatest interest in the race is that its progress is being reported by the Marconi wireless telegraph. First time such a thing has been done in the history of the world.

Mrs. Katherine Poillon, who is, of course, "a woman of rare beauty," is suing multi-millionaire William Gould Brokaw for $250,000 for breach of promise. That is a small amount to want to squeeze out of a fellow who is worth many millions but probably she already had stacked the cards for several months in an effort to make it possible for Willie to "die poor."

GIANT POLICE RAID

Park Surrounded by Officers and Twenty-Three Arrested for Vagrancy.

Only One Escaped But He Did So at Risk of His Life—Some of the Excuses—Moral Effect Will Be Good.

Perhaps the largest haul ever made by the local police, numerically speaking, was made yesterday afternoon between 3 and 4 o'clock as a climax to a vigorous war against vagrancy instituted by the new administration immediately upon assuming the reigns of the city government two weeks ago. At one fell swoop, a detail of eighteen men, headed by Chief Williams, moved upon Hilton Park and there, under the moss-covered oaks and the inviting umbrage of river-side foliage, bagged no less than 23 young negroes, ranging in age from 13 to 25 years, and professing every occupation from "shoo-shine" to stevedore. The police had been so vigorous inside the city limits lately that the "gentlemen of liesure" had hied themselves to the woods during the day, returning to town at night and commingling with the labor classes so familiarly as to elude the police.

The clever dodge of the idlers was soon discovered by the police, and the raid on Hilton was planned in consequence thereof. Eighteen of the "night shift" were ordered to report for spescial duty at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and they responded as follows: Chief Williams, Sergeants C. W. Woolard and J. R. Hardee, Privates C. E. Wood, W. C. Moore, J. J. Moore, G. R. Holt, E. Skipper, W. R. Appleberry, J. R. Minshew, M. C. Gray, W. J. Howard, W. M. Harris, Alex. Wells, E. R. Chadwick, John Meier, R. L. Truelove, M. A. Jones and M. P. Newton. All with the exception of Officer Wood were in citizen's clothing and with clubs concealed. One squad went down the railroad track on the north side of the Park; another came in from the east; another from the south, while the river shut off escape on the west. At a given signal the men closed in and pandemonium reigned among the loungers. Those on the river bank pretended they were fishing; those inside the fence enclosure claimed they were assembled for a baseball game, while others excused themselves on the ground they were only "passing through." However, the police accepted no excuse and the motley throng was ordered to form and march to the station house, which they did in Coxey army style, the officers forming a hollow square around them to prevent escape.

Only one of the number in the park escaped the raiders. He was one of three who ran out on a raft closely pursued by Sergeant Woolard and others. He tumbled in the river a time or two, recovered his footing each time, and finally made his way to the Hilton Lumber Co.'s yard, where he sprang to the wharf and lost himself in the lumber piles. When the 23 were searched at the police station the aggregate sum of $2.37 in money was found on the lot and more than half of that amount was possessed by one individual. Arriving at the police station, three were able to give bond and three furnished satisfactory evidence of having employment. The remainder of them were locked up for trial before the Mayor at noon to-day upon the charge of vagrancy. Whether all are convicted or not, the raid will have a good moral effect and many idlers will proceed to "get busy."

MAY LIQUOR TAX.

Practically All Dealers Have Paid—Test Case Next Week.

The test case against Mr. Thos. J. Gore to decide the validity of the May increase in liquor license by the former Board of Aldermen was not called in the Mayor's court yesterday, Mr. Gore having previously paid the $50 license under protest. Brooke G. Empie, Esq., representing the contestants in the license matter, said yesterday that the matter would probably be settled on an agreed case which he and City Attorney Marsden Bellamy, Jr., would submit to Judge Allen in the Superior Court next week. If the ordinance is declared null and void on account of irregularity, he thought there was no doubt but that the city would refund the excess paid by the dealers and that on tne other hand, if the increase is declared legal, the city will have nothing to lose as practically all of the dealers have now paid anyway. At the Treasurer's office yesterday afternoon it was stated that all except four or five of the 60-odd dealers had paid and that satisfactory excuses had been made and assurances given in the cases of those who are still delinquent.

He Found the Gas Leak.

One of the employes of the Consolidatel Company was in the basement of Mrs. Phillip Christ's residence on Second, between Market and Dock streets Wednesday morning about 10:30 o'clock, looking for a gas leak. He struck a match to make his search more thorough and the Fire Department had to be called out to extinguish the flames, which rewarded the gas man's search. The damage was only about $10.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

S. W. Sanders—At The Siwasa.
Business Locals.
S. F. Craig—Groceries.
Empire—Sample Distributors.
M. C. Darby & Co—Real Estate.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Other local on fourth page.

—The Gun Club will have its regular weekly shoot at the lodge this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. All participants are requester to report promptly.

—The Register of Deeds is making a transcript of the names of freeholders on the tax books from which the County Commissioners will make their biennial revision of the jury list on the first Monday in June as required by law.

—A little daughter of ex-Alderman Z. E. Murrell came near being killed by being run over by a buggy Wednesday afternoon on Fourth street beyond the bridge. She was knocked down and painfully bruised, as well as badly frightened.

—Col. A. M. Waddell has engagements to deliver a commencement address at Newberry College, S. C., in June, and to be the orator of the day at the unveiling of the Nash and Davidson monuments on Guilford Battle Ground, July 4th.

—Duplin Journal: "Right Rev. Bishop Robert Strange will preach at the Episcopal church at Faison on the 3rd Sunday in June. Bishop Strange is an eloquent and learned minister and a treat is in store for all who will go out and hear him."

—The police by threes are now enjoying their annual Summer vacations of a week each. Last week Officers C. E. Wood, A. D. Smith and J. B. Farrow enjoyed a well-earned rest; this week, Officers A. D. Woolard, J. F. Smith and W. M. Harris are not answering roll call.

—Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the links of the Cape Fear Golf Club there will be an interesting event, perhaps the last of the season, when a golf approaching tournament will be given on the links. There will be a cup for ladies and one for gentlemen offered by a lady member of the club.

—Pender county veterans and Daughters of the Confederacy will appropriately celebrate the birthday of Jefferson Davis on June 3rd. In the morning General Julian S. Carr will make an address in the Court House there, and at noon there will be a basket spread to which all veterans are invited.

—Burgaw Chronicle: "Another gretna-green affair occurred here last Friday when Mr. Tom Moore, in a most impressive manner, united in the bonds of matrimony, Mr. Fred. J. H. Steljes and Miss Katie Dennis, both of Wilmington. They left for Wilmington on the afternoon train to receive congratulations and parental blessings. We wish them a merry wedded life."

—Friends out of the city have received invitations which announce the forthcoming marriage of Miss Katherine Lamar Mafftt, daughter of Mrs. Eugene Anderson Mafftt, to Mr. Harry Woolicott, on Wednesday afternoon, 5:30 o'clock, June 7th, in Saint James' Episcopal church, this city. The bride and groom elect are among the most popular young people in Wilmington, and the announcement of the marriage is received with much interest.

—Mr. T. S. McManus, local manager of the Bell Telephone exchange here, is in Charlotte attending a conference with District Superintendent M. B. Spier of all the managers of the larger offices of the company in the third district, embracing all of this State and the Piedmont section of South Carolina. At the meeting the various phases of work are discussed in full, with especial attention given to the methods by which the efficiency of the service may be increased.

—Duplin Journal: "The sad accident to Miss Annie Kenan which took place near Wilmington last week, has touched the hearts of many persons in all the walks of life. It is hard to realize such a terrible happening to her, and with all the feelings of awe that naturally came when the sad news was heard. We still have hope for her to recover as much strength and health as can possibly be regained under the circumstances and that many years yet will be spared her to enjoy the presence of her friends, and for her to bestow upon them deeds of kindness which has always been her characteristic through life."

ORPHANS COME TO-DAY.

Concert by Children in the Academy of Music—River Trip.

The Singing Class from the Oxford Orphanage will arrive to-day, and while in the city will be entertained as follows: Maud Harris and Mary Holden with Capt. W. P. Oldham. Mary Powell and Dallas Templeton with Mr. R. H. Pickett. Kathleen Black and Lydia Abee with Mr. H. G. Smallbones. Eloise Williams and Lucile Pike with Mr. O. M. Fillyaw. Grace Ramson and Kathleen Bright with Mr. H. W. Collins. James Swarsengen and Jasper Black with Capt. W. P. Monroe. William Curlee and Edgar Powell with Mr. W. A. French, Jr.

Miss White, teacher, and Mr. J. H. Highsmith, manager, will be entertained at Mrs. Gilbert's on Princess street.

The concert will take place at the Academy of Music at 8:30 o'clock. The children gave a concert last night at Whiteville and came from there here. Those who are to care for the children while here, will please meet them at the station. That big-hearted gentleman, Captain J. W. Harper, of the steamer Wilmington, has offered his boat to take the orphans down the river this afternoon in order that the little ones may see something of the lower Cape Fear and enjoy the sea-breeze at Carolina Beach.

SCHOOLS WANT PART

Board of Education Asks One-Third of City Liquor License Revenue.

AS TO THE COMMITEEE

Special Meeting Yesterday Morning at Which Two Important Resolutions were Adopted—Before Aldermen at Next Meeting.

The County Board of Education, at a special meeting held yesterday morning decided to institute at once a vigorous effort to secure for the maintenance and further equipment of the city public schools, a part of the revenue derived by the municipality from the sale of liquor licenses, the rate for which has recently been increased, or to be exact, advanced from $22 to $50 per month. Heretofore the city has contributed nothing to the city schools, the appropriations for their maintenance coming exclusively from the county. Lately the increased demand for funds to maintain the schools has become so very pressing that the Board of Education has decided to turn to the city for relief. It is not known with what measure of favor the proposition will be received at the hands of the newly elected Board of Aldermen, but any lukewarmness will in no wise deter the county board, which has decided upon a vigorous fight for what its members deem proper and imperative. It is one-third of the total revenue received from liquor licenses that the Board now asks and the request upon the city authorities is embodied in the following resolution passed at the meeting yesterday morning:

Resolved, That the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington be earnestly requested to appropriate to the Public School Fund one-third of the taxes derived from liquor licenses in the City of Wilmington from and after the first day of May, A. D., 1905, as authorized by the Act of the General Assembly of 1905.

Resolved further, That the secretary of this Board be instructed to transmit a copy of this resolution forthwith to His Honor, the Mayor, with the request that he lay it before the Board of Aldermen at his earliest convenience.

The resolution was transmitted to Mayor Waddell immediately after the meeting yesterday morning, and it is presumed that the matter will come up before the Aldermen at their regular monthly meeting Monday night week.

At the meeting yesterday the following preamble and resolution were also adopted, the law referred to having been overlooked in the past and the committees in the city school districts, having held over without formal re-election:

Whereas, the Public School Law of the State of North Carolina requires the Board of Education of each county to elect school committees for all school districts in the county, including those in the cities and towns, on the first Monday in July, 1905, for the purpose of managing and controlling all public schools of the counties for the next two years.

Resolved, That at the next regular meeting of this Board a full list of the names of gentlemen, who are friends of the public schools and qualified to serve as committeemen be prepared and laid before the Board in order to aid it in the election of committeemen for all school districts, both in the city and county.

MISSIONARY CONFERENCE

Second Days' Sessions of Interesting Convention Now Being Held at Grace M. E. Church, This City

The second day's sessions of the Home Missions Society of the North Carolina Conference at Grace church, this city, yesterday, were largely devoted to routine business, the hearing of reports, etc., all of which were very interesting and indicated a most satisfactory year's work.

The business session continued from 10 o'clock until noon yesterday morning and at the latter hour, a special Bible study was conducted by Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor of Grace M. E. church, where the sessions are being held. The lecture was on the "Historical Books" of the Old Testament. The period covered was 4,000 years, and the lecturer made use of the blackboard in explaining the various places of the history of those early times and the beginnings of Jewish history. Similar services will be conducted daily at the noon hour during the conference.

Last night the church was filled for one of the prettiest features of the conference in the form of special exercises by the Florine McEachern Brigade, of Grace church. Mrs. W. H. Shaw had general charge of the entertainment and the little folks acquitted themselves most creditably. Members of the Missionary Conference occupied front seats, reserved for them in the centre aisle of the pretty church, which was specially decorated for the occasion last night. The several departments of the Florine McEachern Brigade were in the charge of Mrs. L. A. Blue, Mrs. F. M. Brown, Mrs. M. F. Allen and Miss Lura Wheeler, Mrs. M. L. Stover, third vice-president of the local Home Mission Society, of the congregation received the contributions of the little folks.

Real Estate Transfers.

From deeds filed yesterday the following real estate transfers appear: W. M. Cumming and wife to W. M. Dixon, for $550, property on south side of Church, 108 feet west of Sixth street, 29x90 feet in size. Susan E. Moore to W. M. Cumming and wife, for $500, property described above.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mrs. L. B. Sasser left yesterday morning to visit relatives in Moore county.

—Mr. Chas. C. Loughlin, a popular young Wilmingtonian, is at home from the University to spend the holidays.

—Col. Walker Taylor and Capt. J. Van B. Metts are attending a meeting of the Southeastern Tariff Association in Virginia.

—Dr. George G. Thomas, of this city, is in Greensboro, attending the annual meeting of the North Carolina Medical Society.

—Mr. L. Walker, of Town Creek, and Mr. Archie Toon, of Whiteville, were pleasant callers at the Star office yesterday.

—Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Russell returned to the city yesterday evening Dr. Russell has been attending the State Medical Society in Greensboro.

—Miss Margaret Gulley, who has been on an extended visit to the family of Dr. M. H. P. Clark, in this city, has returned to her home at Wake Forest, N. C.

—Dr. J. M. Dunlap, of Ansonville, N. C., is in the city to be with Mrs. Dunlap, who underwent an operation at the James Walker Memorial Hospital yesterday.

—Mrs. A. P. Tyer, formerly of Wilmington, has arrived from Elizabeth City to attend the Home Mission Conference and is the guest of Mrs. W. E. Perdew, No. 310 North Seventh street.

—Mrs. R. H. Grant, Mrs. Haywood Clark, Misses Daisy Burbank and Alice LeGrand, of Wilmington, are attending St. Mary's commencement in Raleigh this week. Miss Florence Lawton Grant, of Wilmington, is one of the St. Mary's graduates this year.

—Mr. B. H. J. Ahrens, one of Wilmington's foremost German citizens, has engaged passage through Mr. A. D. Wessell, of the North German Lloyd Line, on the steamship Kronprinz Wilhelm, and will leave Saturday for New York to take the steamer for a trip through Europe.

—Messrs. M. J. Corbett and R. R. Store, who are largely interested in the new fishery plant to be established at Little River, S. C., left for that place yesterday to attend the organization meeting of the company. The steamer "Sanders" has been purchased by the new fisheries company.

—Mr. Graham McKinnon, of Rowland, N. C., arrived yesterday to accompany home Mrs. McKinnon, who has been in the hospital here for the past six weeks. While here, Mrs. McKinnon underwent an operation, from which she is now fully recovered and her health is much improved.

—Dr. J. A. Stone, who recently graduated in medicine from the University of Maryland, in Baltimore, and still more recently stood a fine examination for license before the State Board at Greensboro, arrived Wednesday afternoon on his way to his home in Brunswick. Dr. Stone has not yet decided where he will locate.

—Miss Katharine Margaret Gieschen has returned home from Elizabeth College, Charlotte, where she was a student the past session. At the commencement this week Miss Gieschen received a certificate of proficiency in the German lauguage; she also won distinction in piano music with an average of 92.8. Miss Gieschen was accompanied home by Miss Bertie Hanson, who attended Elizabeth commencement.

—Pastor Fred D. Hale, D. D., is assisting the pastor, Rev. J. Q. Adams, in a series or revival services at Pritchard Memorial Baptist church at Charlotte. The Observer of yesterday says: "Those who heard Rev. Dr. Fred D. Hale preach at the Pritchard Memorial Baptist church last night on the subject of "Repentance," state that no finer sermon has ever been heard in an evangelistic meeting in Charlotte. Dr. Hale is well known throughout the State, and if good preaching can accomplish anything the meeting at the Pritchard Memorial church will be a success."

W. L. I. EXCURSION.

Infantrymen Planning Jolly Outing For Tuesday, May 30th.

The Wilmington Light Infantry is planning another outing and an all-day excursion to Wrightsville Beach. The date is Tuesday, May 30th., and the committee in charge promises the public something great both in the nature of the entertainment furnished at the seashore and in the crowds that will attend. The exceedingly low rate of 25 cents, the round trip from any part of the city, has been secured, and the Consolidated Company gives every assurance of proper facilities to handle the crowds comfortably. Headquarters will be at the new pavilion and the best of order, of course, will obtain.

Among the features will be a competitive shoot between the W. L. I. rifle team which defended the medal with the Naval Reserves on May 20th, and the W. L. I. Reserve Corps team; a competitive shoot by the company with the Naval Reserves; an exhibition of the Colt's rapid fire gun at a sea target; exhibition of fancy drilling; a dead rise skiff race at sea; a bowling alley tournament open to the general public; music and dancing in the pavillion. The Daughter of the Confederacy will serve refreshments and their co-operation alone will ensure a success of the event. More of the excursion will be said, as the date approaches.

Do you want
to be cool and comfortable in the hottest weather. An electric fan will do the trick.

COUNTY TAX RATE

Estimate of Expenses for New Hanover for Fiscal Year Ending June 1st.

THE MAGISTRATES TO MEET

Pass Upon Levy as Recommended by Commissioners—Purchase Road Material in Columbia, S. C.

The Board of Magistrates of New Hanover will be called within the next day or two to meet on the first Monday in June for the purpose of passing upon the tax levy of the county for the ensuing fiscal year as recommended by the Board of Commissioners. The meeting will be of more than the usual interest this year because of the fact that two days later, on June 7th, there will be submitted to the voters of the county the question of the issuance of another $50,000 in bonds for the continuance and maintenance of the permanent road improvement, and upon the probable result of that election will depend largely whether the tax rate will be reduced or will have to be slightly increased. The Commissioners give it out that if the bond issue carries, they will make a recommendation of a two cents reduction in the rate, but that otherwise a slight increase in the rate will have to be made to raise the tax directly. The following circular letter showing the estimated expenses to be provided for by the levy June, 1905, with remarks thereon, is being sent out to the magistrates of the county:

Estimated Expenses to be Provided for by Tax Levy June, 1905:

Solicitor	$ 400
Jury	4,000
Witnesses	1,000
Sheriff	700
Clerk	700
Total Superior Court	$ 6,800
Superintendent Health	1,200
Out Door Poor	5,000
County Home	2,500
Tax Listing and Assessing	1,200
Attorney	500
Coroner	300
Constable	300
Magistrates	200
Register Deeds	400
Commissioners	1,500
Public Buildings	1,800
Clerk and Janitor	1,100
Jail	2,500
Military	600
Roads and Bridges	1,500
Printing and Stationery	600
Miscellaneous	500
Refunded Taxes	100
Total	$28,600
Jas. Walker Memorial Hospital.	7,200
Road Bonds, Interest and Sinking Fund	4,250
Court House Bonds, Interest and Sinking Fund	4,000
Total	$44,050

To meet the above, the Commissioners recommend the following levy:

	Property.	Poll.
General Fund	23 2-3	.71
Hospital	.06 1-3	.19
New Hanover County Road Fund	.04	.12
Court House Fund	.02	.06
Total	.36	$1.08

"And there shall be levied and collected for county purposes on all subjects of taxation embraced in Schedules A, B, and C, of the Revenue and Machinery Act, and elsewhere in the Acts of 1905 of the General Assembly of North Carolina, the same tax as is by law specifically imposed for State purposes except on such subjects as are forbidden by the law of the State."

Wilmington, N. C., May 23, 1905.

Dear Sir:—You will note a reduction in the total tax levy of two cents on the $100 and, though we lose both Merchants' Tax and half the liquor tax, we think the increased revenue, derived from improved property, will provide sufficient funds to cover the reduction, and also pay the interest and provide the proportionate part of the sinking fund for the proposed bond issue, should it carry.

Should the proposed bond issue fail, and it is deemed advisable to continue the building of roads, it will be necessary to raise an additional $10,000 to carry on the work for a year and would cause us to advise an increase of nine cents on the $100 or a total of forty-five cents.

Respectfully,
D. McEACHERN, Chairman.

The Permanent Road Work.

In connection with the tax levy and the approaching election upon the bond issue, it will be of interest to know that the Commissioners are negotiating for the purchase of material for a part of the road building from quarries outside the city, it being shown that the material can be purchased and delivered from elsewhere cheaper than it can be quarried from the Castle Haynes quarry on account of the large amount of everburden that has to be removed at the home plant. It is proposed to buy the heavier material from other quarries, and to use the output of the Castle Haynes plant only for top dressing. Chairman D. McEachren and Captain Wm. F. Robertson, of the Board of County Commissioners, returned on the belated train yesterday morning from Columbia, S. C., where they closed a conditional contract for 10,000 tons of the class of material which it is proposed to buy outside of the county, with the Morris Stone and Lime Company, of America. The 10,000 tons were taken with the privilege of 50,000 tons provided the bond issue is carried and a satisfactory rate of transportation is obtained from the railroad companies. The 10,000 tons will be needed to complete the Market street road regardless of the bond issue, and the purchase of that amount is contingent only upon the railroad freight rate. The purchase price of the material is not made public at the request of the stone company to the Commissioners, but the price is regarded as very satisfactory provided an equitable freight rate can be obtained.

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116 Market Street.

may 23 tf

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apr 20 tf

Moth Balls!

The season for Moth Balls is nearing its end. We have one barrel left and if you haven't bought your Spring supply we can give you a real bargain.

James M. Hall,
DRUGGIST,
Cor. Fifth and Castle Streets.
'Phone 192.
Comp Bicycle Delivery.
may 25 tf

235 ORDERS.

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AT FARRIS',
109 North Front Street.
Telephone 626.
may 19 tf

NOTICE!

The contract for the building of the Levee to protect the lands of White Oak Swamp in French's Creek Township from overflow by the river, will be let out on Thursday the 1st day of June, 1905, at Centerville, N. C.

Anyone wishing to inspect the locality will call on W. J. Keith, Centerville, N. C., Bladen county. All bids to be sealed, with the right reserved to the Building Committee to reject any and all bids.

C. W. LYON,
E. H. ANDERS,
W. J. KEITH,
Building Committee.
Elizabethtown, N. C., May 13, 1905.
may 16—till june 1st

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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Friday Morning, May 26.

LOSS FROM EXPOSURE OF COTTON.

The Star has refrained from the occasional course of its contemporaries of giving gratitous advice to its friends behind the hoe who are the bone and sinew of the country, and who are, in these enlightened days of progressive farming, generally better judges of practical questions than many who take a superficial or sentimental view of the situation. The Star is, however, in a position to know that many of its friends are suffering serious loss by the unwise exposure on the plantations of thousands of bales of cotton to the continuous Spring rains this season, which has been estimated, in many instances, as high as 30 per cent. of the market value. It has been claimed by some of those who have no storing facilities that the bales will not suffer much injury in the open if they are kept on their edge upon poles which hold them a few inches clear off the ground; and, if the bales are turned upside down after every rain in order that the moisture absorbed may be quickly evaporated. It is also claimed that the cotton so treated will gain in weight to the farmers' advantage and that the risk of loss by fire is reduced to a minimum without the expense of insurance.

It must be manifest by experience, however, that these specious claims are not sustained by results. Exposure to the sun and Winter rain warps and defaces the bagging, rusts the hoops, and makes an unsightly package, while the later warmer rains of the Spring heats the cotton, fermentation follows and in many instances thirty to sixty pounds of rotting and worthless cotton must be removed and the bale repacked in a crude and unsatisfactory way before it is fit for shipment. We have seen in Wilmington recently thousands of damaged bales waiting for the slow and expensive process of picking before they can be shipped as merchantable. Many of these bales must prove a loss of at least a cent a pound to the farmer.

Moreover, the practice of exposing cotton at the plantations seems to be largely confined to our own section—that is to say, the Carolinas. Farther South a better method prevails and the warehouse system is used by many farmers who have no storage facilities. It should not be overlooked that mill buyers and exporters prefer the lots that have been protected even by a temporary and inexpensive shelter which is within the means of every producer. There is, then, no question as to actual weights and grades, nor any delay in settlements, nor any rejection of misshapen bales.

We are informed that some of the principal buyers are now refusing to bid on exposed and damaged cotton because of recent heavy reclamations from mills at home and abroad. We also learn from representatives of Marine Underwriters that insurance against country damage will be difficult to obtain next season, even at advanced premiums.

It behooves the cotton planter with these facts before him to protect his cotton crop from damage by simple and reasonable precautions after it has passed the inevitable vicissitudes of frost, drought, excessive moisture, rust, insects and other natural and unnatural foes between the planting and the picking of this royal gift of God.

REGULATING IMMIGRATION.

The New York Times says on this important subject in which the South is now so vitally concerned:

Mr. Roosevelt is said now to be turning his active mind toward changes in the laws for regulating immigration. Apparently he has been incited thereto by testimony submitted to him showing a concerted effort on the part of foreign officials with possible connivance from unscrupulous steamship agents, to send to this country considerable numbers of persons of a very undesirable sort, dependents, criminals, vicious, or incapable. If anything like a conspiracy of this kind exists, it ought not to be impracticable to expose it and break it up without substantial changes in the immigration laws. Those laws should be regarded with reference to general principles and not tinkered to meet emergencies or temporary and extraordinary conditions.

We have adopted pretty thoroughly certain general principles in the laws as they stand. One, which is fundamental, is that our own interests shall be protected, which practically puts out of business the old notion of America as the refuge of the oppressed of all nations. In the immediate application to exclude known criminals, acknowledged paupers, the physically disabled, those likely to become a public charge, and in curious conflict with this last provision, all who have secured employment by contract. If these conditions as to exclusion are fairly, vigilantly, and energetically enforced, they would seem to shut out the really undesirable immigrants, with one qualification. They do not shut out the grossly ignorant. We think that the law might with advantage, all things considered, be amended to apply to this last-named class. The argument is not wholly conclusive in that direction. Immigrants who are honest, healthy, and industrious may also be illiterate, and still be very desirable, while their children usually turn out to be excellent additions to our population. But the test of intelligence and adaptability to American life afforded by ability to read and write at least their own language is, in most cases, so trustworthy that we are convinced its application would do much more good than harm.

We are persuaded that it would do a great deal more good than the arbitrary charge of $25 a head on admission to our ports. Undoubtedly that would check immigration, but there is nothing discriminating in it. It would shut out, especially from those parts of the country the most need immigrants, the very sort that would be useful. And these parts of the country are very considerable. We hear much talk of our country being overcrowded by immigration. In reality there is not in the world a land so prosperous as ours that is at the same time so undeveloped or one where a richer return awaits honest labor in every branch. We have an average of less than 26 inhabitants to the square mile, which is one-tenth that of Prussia. There is but one State in the Union, Massachusetts, so densely inhabited as Prussia. Texas could have twenty times its present population without reaching that density. It is absurd to think that we do not need and cannot use the human energy that would come to us under wisely regulated immigration. We should exclude what is not for our lasting interest, but our lasting interest demands imperatively all we can get that is really good.

OUR PHILLIPINE BLUNDER.

Says the Charleston News and Courier:

"The Chicago Chronicle rebukes Justice John M. Harlan, of the United States Supreme Court, because he believes we are going to be more and more sorry as time goes on that we ever took over to ourselves the Philippine Islands. The Chronicle does not deny that Justice Harlan is right but it merely says there is no use crying over the matter now. This is quite an interesting view of our Philippine blunder to be expressed by one of the most rabid Republican organs in the country. 'We may,' says the Chronicle, 'even go farther and say with confidence, that most of us are sorry now. If we had it to do over again it is as certain as anything can be that the Philippines might go under German or Japanese suzerainty or they might become an Aguinaldoan protectorate, but we would have no hand in their destiny.''

The worst of it is that the sorrow over the Philippine acquisition is because the commercialism in them has been a dead failure. The sorrow doesn't come because the American Republic has violated the Democratic-Republican principle that people should be governed only by the consent of the governed.

TWINKLINGS.

—Nell—"I wouldn't marry a man unless I could trust him." Bell—"What good would that do if the storekeepers wouldn't?"—Philadelphia Record.

—Gunner—They say Gogg is an automobile fiend. Guyer—And so he is. Sleeps in his goggles and has gasoline sprinkled on his pillow.—Chicago News.

—Mrs. Homer—I'm sure my husband never did a thing in his life that he would be ashamed to tell me. Mrs. Gabbles—Well, I suppose it does take a great deal to shock some women.—Chicago News.

Smart Pastor—My congregation is made up mostly of fools. Parishioner—Ah! That explains it. Smart Pastor—Explains what? Parishioner—Your habit of addressing them as "beloved brethren."—Cleveland Leader.

—Mabel—Now, Mr. Sporty, supposing you were Paris, which of us three would you give the apple to? Mr. E. (thinking he sees a brilliant way out of a difficulty)—Well—you see—there's a sameness about you all!—Punch.

—"I can not understand ze language," the foreign nobleman complained. "What's the matter, count?" "First you say ze young man is a raw youth." "Yes." "Zen you say he is half baked."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—"That Western tornado destroyed several thriving hamlets." "Hurrah for the tornado! Now if another one will come along and clean out a few 'Uncle Toms' and 'East Lynnes,' I have some hopes for the future of the stage.—Cleveland Leader.

—Wigg—"The last time I was in Boston I tried three restaurants and couldn't get deviled crabs." Wagg—"What did you ask for?" —Wigg—"Deviled crabs, I tell you." Wagg—"That's where you make a mistake. You should have asked for crustaceans a la Mephistopheles."—Philadelphia Record.

CURRENT COMMENT.

It is strange that the oftener a man hits the high ball the sooner he is called out.—Charleston News and courier.

—An enterprising Atlanta store recently advertised "everything that the would-be bride needs," and an Augusta woman wrote on to the store for a man.—Atlanta Journal.

—The late Board of Aldermen of Wilmington before going out of office raised the saloon license tax from $264 a year to $600, which latter figure is about half what it should be. Now the saloon men decline to pay the higher license and will resist by legal means the collection of it. Some of the people who, at the election in Wilmington a few months ago on license or no license, voted for license, will probably remember this and at the next election let the bar men take care of themselves.—Charlotte Observer.

—Word has gone forth on the authority of Secretary Paul Morton himself that he will leave the cabinet in the Fall of this year. We hope he is not deluding the public. The administration does not gain anything by Mr. Morton's connection with it in the estimation of the country. He was not well known when Mr. Roosevelt discovered that he was a stateman whose services must be had. He is better known now, and the more that is known the more the wonder grows that he was ever considered a necessary person in the government.—Boston Herald.

—A queer kind of political revolt is imminent in the Republican party of New Jersey. It is against the domination and power of the young men in the Legislature and the way they have used that power, discarding and rejecting the advice of the elders and veterans of the party. The young men of the Republican faith appear to have been troubled by the "big head," and would have things their own way, which did not accord with the wishes of the elders. A demand has arisen in the State, as a result, for a preference for the more elderly class. It is a demand for age and experience as against youth and recklessness in Legislation.—Pittsburg Post.

—The gift of a portrait of Timrod to the city by the Hon. W. A. Courtenay was most kindly and thoughtful and was highly appreciated, this city having been the home of the poet. Captain Courtenay has done more in preserving and perpetuating the writings of Timrod than any other man, having personally collected and published one or more editions of his poems. The portrait will be hung in the library, which has been renamed in honor of Timrod.—Columbia Record.

—The Republican press is suggesting a restoration of the war revenue tax for the purpose of extinguishing that big deficit that is about to appear. It is significant that they are not clamoring for any increase of the tariff tax. In fact, the bare mention of tariff gives the leaders the ague besides which the contemplation of a mere deficit is a pleasant pastime.—Chattanooga Times.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 25, 1905.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm, 69 cents.

ROSIN—Market firm, $3.35 bid.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for hard, $4.75 for dip and $5.25 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady, 53 3-4; rosin, nothing doing; tar, firm, at $1.80; crude turpentine, steady at $2.25 @$3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	39
Rosin	106
Tar	57
Crude	145

Receipts same day last year—77 casks spirits turpentine; 266 barrels rosin; 28 barrels tar; 113 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady, 8 cents.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—629 bales same day last year, — bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 90c.; extra prime, 95c.; fancy, $1.00, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 80c.; extra prime, 85c.; fancy, 90c. Spanish, 85@90c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, new, 12@12 1-2c. per pound; shoulders, 9c.; sides, dull, 9 to 10c.

EGGS—Dull at 14c. per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull. Springs, 15@25c.; Grown, 30@35c.

TURKEYS—Dull at 13c. for live; 18@20c. for dressed.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5 1-2@6c. per pound.

PORK—Firm at 6@7c. net.

PEAS—White, $1.50@$1.60; clay, $1.10@$1.15.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75@80c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3 1-2c. per pound.

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, May 25.—The cotton market opened weak at a decline of 6 to 7 points under liquidation and selling for a further reaction promoted by lower cables, rumors of a Japanese defeat in the Far East and a rather better view of the Southern weather. There was some demand from yesterday's sellers at the decline tending to steady the market at first but offerings were heavy and prices gradually worked off to a net decline of about 13 to 16 points when a temporary withdrawal of pressure and continued covering on the forecast calling for further rains in the belt sent prices back to about the opening figures. Later, however, New Orleans weakened and sent selling orders to the local market while it was rumored that leading bulls had taken profits on their long contracts and were preparing to switch over to the short side of the account. There was selling attributed to these interests and the market during the afternoon ruled generally weak, with the close barely steady and at just about the lowest of the session a net decline of 14 to 23 points. Sales were estimated at 500,000 bales.

Spot closed quiet 15 points decline; middling uplands, 8.50; middling gulf, 8.75; sales 4,900.

Futures closed barely steady. May, 8.05; June, 7.88; July, 7.96; August, 7.93; September, 7.96; October, 8.03; November, 8.07; December, 8.12; January, 8.16; February, 8.18; March, 8.23.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Firm, 8 1-4c.; net receipts, 7,047 bales.

New Orleans—Quiet, 8 1-4c.; net receipts, 4,402 bales.

Mobile—Dull, 8 1-8c.; net receipts, 396 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 8 1-4c.; net receipts, 3,027 bales.

Charleston—Quiet, 8c.; net receipts, 109 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 8c.; net receipts, 629 bales.

Norfolk—Firm, 8 1-4c.; net receipts, 2,425 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 8 1-2c.

New York—Quiet, 8.50; net receipts, 421 bales.

Boston—Quiet, 8.65; net receipts, 17 bales.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 8.75; net receipts, 50 bales.

San Francisco—Net receipts, 8,225 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 26,748 bales; Great Britain, 4,404 bales; France, 450 bales; Continent, 1,447 bales; Japan, 8,425 bales; Stock, 594,432 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 111,357 bales; Great Britain, 20,619 bales; France, 1,824 bales; Continent, 47,530 bales; Japan, 17,090 bales; Mexico, 560 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 9,095,497 bales; Great Britain, 3,443,998 bales; France, 727,800 bales; Contient, 2,915,323 bales; Japan, 251,858 bales; Mexico, 29,132 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 8 3-16c.; net receipts, 3,669 bales.

Augusta—Quiet, 8 3-8c.; net receipts, 467 bales.

Memphis—Firm, 8 1-4c.; net receipts, 295 bales.

St. Louis—Steady, 8 1-4c.; net receipts, 1,112 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 688 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 8 1-4c.

Total to-day—Net receipts, 5,119 bales.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, May 25.—4 P. M.—Cotton—Spot in fair demand, prices unchanged. American middling, 4.58d.; sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 9,000 American. Receipts 17,000 bales, including 16,500 American.

Futures opened firm and closed quiet. American middling G. O. C: May, 4.42d.; May and June, 4.42d.; June and July, 4.43d.; July and August, 4.44d.; August and September, 4.44d.; September and October, 4.45d.; October and November, 4.45d.; November and December, 4.46d.; December and January, 4.46d.; January and February, 4.47d.; February and March, 4.48d.; March and April, 4.49d.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 25.—Money on call easy 2 1-4@2 1-2 per cent., closing bid 2, offered at 2 1-4. Time money easy and dull, sixty days, 3 per cent.; ninety days, 3 1-4; six months, 3 1-4@3 1-2. Prime mercantile paper, 3 3-4@4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at 487.15 487.20 for demand and at 485.15@485.20 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 486@488. Commercial bills, 484 7-8. Bar silver, 58 1-2. Mexican dollars, 45.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding, 2s reg	104 1-2
U. S. refunding, 2s. cou	104 1-2
U. S. 3s reg.	103 3-4
U. S. 3s cou	104
U. S. 4s reg.	132
U. S. 4s new cou.	132
U. S. Old reg	104 5-8
U. S. 4s. Old cou	104 5-8
American Tobacco, 4s cert	73
American Tobacco, 6s cert.	112 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line, 4s.	102
L. & N. Unified, 4s	104 1-8
Seaboard Air Line 4s	85
Southern Railway 5s	119 3-4
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	93 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Atlantic Coast Line	147
Baltimore & Ohio	107 1-2
B. & O. pfd	96
Chesapeake & Ohio	143 1-8
Manhattan L.	163
Mexican Central	19 1-2
New York Central	138 1-2
Norfolk & Western	77 3-4
Norfolk & Western, pfd	92 1-2
Pennsylvania	133 1-4
Reading	88 7-8
Reading, 1st pfd	89 1-2
Reading, 2d pfd	85
Southern Pacific	60 3-8
Southern Pacific, pfd	118 3-4
Southern Railway	29 1-2
Southern Railway, pfd	95 1-4
American Sugar Refining	131 5-8
American Tobacco, pfd cert	95 1-4
People's Gas	100 1-4
U. S. Steel	26 3-4
U. S. Steel, pfd	93 1-8
Amalgamated Copper	78 5-8
Tenn. Coal & Iron	74 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	32 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	105 1-2
S. A. L., com (Bid	18
S. A. L., pfd (Bid)	36
Western Union	93
Standard Oil	605

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, May 25.—Nothwithstanding remarkable acrobatics in price changes for corn to-day, chief interest on the board of trade centered in the wheat pit, the volume of trading in corn being comparatively small. Heavy rain in Kansas and Missouri was one reason for a firm wheat market. Frost in the Dakotas was another bullish factor. At the close July wheat was up 1-8@1-4. Corn traders after establishing for the May option a new high record mark witnessed the price drop to 60c on a report of private settlements by shorts. Renewed covering caused a partial recovery. Final quotations, however, were down 1-2c compared with last night's close. Oats are up 1-4c. Provisions are off 2 1-2 to 7 1-2c.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	1.07	1.07	1.06	1.06
July	91¼	91¾	90¾	90⅞
Sept	82½	83⅞	83⅛	83⅛
Corn, No. 2.—				
May	67½	68	60	63
July (Old)	49¾	50⅛	49¾	50
July (New)	49½	49⅝	49	49½
Sept (Old)	48¾	49⅛	48⅛	49
Sept (New)	48⅝	48⅞	48¼	48½
Oats, No. 2.—				
May	31⅝	31⅝	31⅜	31⅝
July	30⅜	30⅜	30⅜	30⅝
Sept	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅞
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	12.45	12.45	12.40	12.40
July	12.55	12.55	12.50	12.52½
Sept	12.77½	12.[illegible]	12.75	12.77½
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	....	....	....	7.17½
July	7.27½	7.30	7.25	7.27½
Sept	7.47½	7.47½	7.45	7.45
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	....	....	....	7.10
July	7.22½	7.22½	7.20	7.22½
Sept	7.47½	7.50	7.45	7.47½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.09 @1.11; No. 3 spring wheat, 1.02@1.10; No. 2 red, 1.08 1-4@1.10 1-4; No. 2 corn, 63; No. 2 yellow, 63; No. 2 oats, 31 3-8; No. 2 white, 32 1-2@33 1-4; No. 3 white, 31 1-2@32 1-2; No. 2 rye, 77@78; Mess Pork, per bbl., 12.40@12.45; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.17 1-2@7.20; Short ribs sides, (loose), 7.12 1-2@7.25; Short clear sides (boxed), 7.35@7.37 1-2; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.26.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, May 25.—Flour slow but strong.

RYE FLOUR—Firm.

WHEAT—Spot firm; No. 2 red, 110 1-2. Options showed 1-8@1-4c. decline, except May which closed 2 3-8c higher. May, 110; July, 95 1-2; September, 87 1-2; December, 86 3-4.

CORN—Spot firm. No. 2, 59 1-2. Options closed 1-8@1-2c net higher. May, 60; July, 55 1-4; December, 51 3-4.

OATS—Spot steady; mixed oats, 35@35 1-2.

LARD—Quiet; western steamed, 7.15@7.40. Refined barely steady.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Firm.

RICE—Firm.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 7 7-8; mild dull. Futures closed at a decline of 5@15 points.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 3 3-4; centrifugal 96 test, 4 3-8; molasses sugar, 3 1-2. Refined steady.

COTTON SEED OIL—Firm with trade quiet. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 22@22 1-2; prime summer yellow, 28 1-2@29c; off summer yellow nominal. Prime white, 30 1-2@31c.; prime winter yellow, 30 1-2@31.

POTATOES—Steady; southern rose, 2.00@2.75; state and western, .75@1.00; Jersey sweets, 2.50@4.00.

PEANUTS—Steady; fancy handpicked, 5 1-4@5 1-2; other domestic, 3 1-4@5 1-2.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 10@13.

CABBAGES—Easy; Charleston per barrel crate, 50@1.00.

BUTTER—Easier; creamery, 20@22; State dairy, 18@21 1-2.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged.

EGGS—Steady, unchanged.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, May 25.—Turpentine firm 73 to 73 1-2; rosin firm.

Charleston, May 25.—Turpentine steady, 70c; rosin steady; A. B. C., 3.45; D., 3.50; E., 3.55; F., 3.60; G., 3.65; H., 4.00; I., 4.45; K., 4.65; M., 4.75; N., 4.85; W. G., 5.15; W. W., 5.35.

Savannah, May 25.—Turpentine firm 71 1-2; sales 329; receipts 933; shipments 727.

Rosin firm; sales 2,385; receipts 1,821; shipments, 1,064. Quote: A. B. C., 3.70@3.75; D., 3.75; E., 3.80@3.85; F., 3.85@3.90; G., 3.90; H., 4.35; I., 4.75; K., 4.95; M., 5.10; N., 5.25; W. G., 5.50@5.55; W. W., 5.75.

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Cayo Manganillo (Br.), 1,890 tons, Winter, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Bradford C. French, 920 tons, Garland, C. D. Mafftt.

Harry W. Haynes, 250 tons, Goodwin, C. D. Mafftt.

Massachusetts, 437 tons, Lane, C. D. Mafftt.

Waccamaw, 408 tons, Price, C. D. Mafftt.

Schr. A. & M. Carlisle, 302 tons, Horner, C. D. Mafftt.

John R. Fell, 281 tons, Woodruff, C. D. Mafftt.

C. C. Lister, 266 tons, Moore, C. D. Mafftt.

Warren B. Potter, 311 tons, Hammett, C. D. Mafftt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., May 25, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—77 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 26 barrels tar, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—430 bales cotton, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—20 bales cotton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels tar, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—102 bales cotton, 24 casks spirits turpentine, 106 barrels tar, 6 barrels tar, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Whitlock — 102 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—629 bales cotton, 39 casks spirits turpentine, 106 barrels rosin, 57 barrels tar, 145 barrels crude turpentine.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up toward the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. **

Cleared for Action.

When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's New Life Pills, you can tell it by the bloom of health on the cheeks; the brightness of the eyes; the firmness of the flesh and muscles; the buoyancy of the mind. Try them. At R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 25 cents. **

Zon-O-Phones and Talk-O-Phones

I SELL THEM AND YOU NEED ONE

Columbia, Victor, Zonophone, Talk-O-Phone. Keep in stock 3,000 Records. Sell Leads 10-inch Record, 38c. each; Zonophone 9-inch, 75c., or $8.00 Doz.; Victor 7-inch, $5.00; 10-inch, $10. Doz. Columbia same price as Victor.

EXCHANGE NEW RECORDS FOR OLD ONES.

Victor 7-inch, 15c.; 10-inch, 30c.; 12-inch, 45c. Columbia the same as Victor. Zonophone, 9-inch 25c. Will allow 15c. for any old 7-inch Record or 30c. for any old 10-inch Record. I sell for cash or on time. Write for catalogue. We keep first-class Pianos and Organs. Sunlight Lamps and Tanks. The lamps are 500 candle power for lighting stores or halls. Write for catalogue.

M. BRADDY,
Wilmington, N. C.
may 13 tf.

Land Plaster! Land Plaster!

Just received carload.
Shingles! Shingles! Shingles!
Over 200,000 in Stock.
Brick! Brick! Brick!
Just opened kiln containing 250,000 good Brick.
Alapha Portland Cement
In large or small lots.
Send Us Your Orders,

ROGER MOORE'S SONS & CO.,
103, 104, 106 No. Water Street.
may 19 tf

SPECIAL!

Our new interest quarter will begin on June 1st. Deposits made now will receive interest from that date.

Wilmington Savings and Trust Company.
108 PRINCESS STREET.
J. W. NORWOOD, President. H. WALTERS, Vice President.
may 5 tf C. E. TAYLOR, JR., Cashier.

Do You Enjoy Fishing?

IF SO, CALL AND SEE OUR LARGE STOCK OF HOOKS, LINES, POLES, REELS, BAIT PAILS, AND ALL THE BIG AND LITTLE PARAPHERNALIA THAT GO TO MAKE FISHERMEN HAPPY.

J. W. Murchison & Co.,
ORTON BUILDING.

Election Notice!

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its 1905 Session, entitled, "An Act to Empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to Issue Bonds for Road Improvements," and by virtue of the power therein given, do hereby call, and give notice of, an election to be held by the qualified electors of New Hanover County, on Wednesday June seventh (7), 1905, to determine whether New Hanover shall issue Fifty Thousand dollars ($50.000.00) of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to continue and complete the repairing, constructing and improving the public roads in said County.

At said election the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written, or printed, on them, "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County," or, "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County."

All qualified electors who favor the issue of said bonds shall vote "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County," and all qualified electors, who are opposed to the issue of said bonds, shall vote, "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County."

For the purposes of this election, as authorized by said Act, the said Board of Commissioners have ordered and do hereby order a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several Townships and Wards, and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the Registrars and Judges of Election in said several Townships and Wards, to wit:

Cape Fear Township.

Polling Place—Blossom's Store. Castle Haynes.

Registrar—R. N. Sweet.

Judges of Election—R. W. Boardeaux and J. H. Johnston.

Harnett Township—First Division.

Polling Place—Delgado Store.

Registrar—W. H. Pittman.

Judges of Election—T. J. Kenan and George W. Rogers.

Harnett Township—Second Division.

Polling Place—Township House.

Registrar—C. H. Alexander.

Judges of Election—W. B. Canady and J. Robert Parker.

Masonboro Township.

Polling Place—Township House.

Registrar—D. J. Fergus.

Judges of Election—B. S. Montford and Henry Melton.

Federal Point Township.

Polling Place—Capps Store.

Registrar—John A. Biddle.

Judges of Election—Theodore Biddle and Hill Williams.

Wilmington Township—First Ward.

Polling Place—First Ward Hose Reel House, near Fourth-Street Bridge.

Registrar—F. T. Skipper.

Judges of Election—J. D. Mote, G. H. Heyer.

Wilmington Township—Second Ward.

Polling Place—Old Court House.

Registrar—P. Heinsberger, Sr.

Judges of Election—M. O'Brien and J. C. Springer.

Wilmington Township—Third Ward.

Polling Place—Giblem Lodge.

Registrar—A. G. Hankins.

Judges of Election—H. L. Fennell and George P. Cotchett.

Wilmington Township—Fourth Ward.

Polling Place—Worth's Ice House.

Registrar—George D. Parsley.

Judges of Election—L. M. LeGwin and W. A. French, Jr.

Wilmington Township—Fifth Ward.

Polling Place—Old Hook and Ladder House.

Registrar—T. G. Landen.

Judges of Election—B. M. Wilson and James H. Burriss.

The Registration books of each Township, Ward and Precinct will be kept open between the hours of Nine o'clock, A. M., and sunset on each day, Sunday excepted, for twenty days, beginning May 4th, 1905, for the Registration of electors; that the said books will be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before said election, to-wit, the 27th day of May, 1905, that on Saturday the 6th day of May, 1905, and on the 13th, 20th and 27th day of May, the Saturdays thereafter, the Registrars will attend with their registration book at the polling places of their respective townships, wards or precincts for the registration of voters. The registrars will attend the polling places of their respective township, wards or precincts with the registration books on Saturday preceding the election, to-wit, the 3rd day of June, 1905, from the hour of Nine o'clock, A. M. till the hour of Three o'clock, P. M., when and where the said books will be opened for the inspection of the electors of said Township, ward and precinct and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This the 1st day of May, 1905.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

D. McEACHERN, Chairman.
W. H. BIDDLE, Clerk.
may 3—till June 4

Are You Keeping In Stock Cuban Blossom AND RENOWN CIGARS?

They are as Good as Ever.

Silver Coin Flour

Can't Be Beat

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Wholesale

GROCER AND DISRTIBUTOR.
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Get the Notion!

Well fixed in your mind, then you will "Get the Habit" of buying your Foot-Wear where you can save money.

Our C. O. A. System

Does the Work. By it we save the expense of a high priced book-keeper, and other extra help; besides all the other expenses that attend the Credit system—Our Motto—Not Cheap Shoes, But Good Shoes Cheap!

Respectfully,

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DUNLOP MEAL

Water Ground Virginia Meal

This has won, but its merits, Reputation of being the Best—Our customers order

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People who buy nothing else from us, buy this Meal, because, they write "our customers call for it." There is only one "Dunlop Meal," so accept no other.

The Worth Co.

Sole Handlers.
may 19 tf

You might as well "Bay at the Moon" as try to corner satisfaction or good results from the indifferent quality of Drugs. You will find the kind we sell pure and fresh and our prices right.

Why not try ours—

ADOLPH G. AHRENS, Druggist,
'Phone 644. 107 Princess St.
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REGULAR DINNER 25c.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

In Use For Over 30 Years.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

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Days of Gaylord's Enormous Surplus Stock Sale

Boy's and Men's Clothing

25 Per Cent Off Regular Prices.

8c. Curtain Scrim; suprius sale .....6c.	50c. Balbrigan Shirts; surplus price .....38c.
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$3.50 Iron Beds; surplus sale $2.98	$3.00 Men's Spring Pants; surplus sale $2.48
$2.50 Springs for Beds....$1.98	Boys' Pants, 35c. kind; surplus sale .....23c.
$2.25 Mattress; surplus sale $1.98	10c. Linon Collars; surplus sale .....5c.
$1.00 Dining Chairs; surplus sale .....69c.	Men's 5c. Handkerchiefs; surplus sale, ...3½c.
15c. Glass Dippers; surplus sale .....10c.	Best 6c. Apron Ginghams .....4½c.
50c. Balgrigan Drawers; surplus price .....38c.	

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Get ready for the good old Summer time. Come and buy you a pair of Oxfords. We have them in Tans, as well as Pats. Price $5.00.

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The Murchison National Bank,

Of Winmington.

ORGANIZED, MARCH, 1899.

Capital, $300,000. Surplus, $160,000.

Deposits, $1,500,000.

United States, State, County and City Government depository.

Depositors can rely upon every facility consistent with sound business methods.

We invite correspondence with all desiring the service of a Bank.

H. C. McQUEEN, President. J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

may 20 tf

Field Peas and Nitrate of Soda.

100 bushels of FIELD PEAS for seed left and about 40 bags NITRATE of SODA. These goods are scarce, and if you expect to need any you should let us have your order b efore they are all gone.

Also a complete line of GROCERIES at competitive prices. Give us all the business you can. We will treat you right.

D. L. GORE CO., Wholesale Grocers and Importers,

may 21 tf Wilmington, N. C.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—The finishing touches on Salisbury's new opera house are being put on, and it will be ready for the fall theatrical season.

—Goldsboro dispatch, May 24th: "Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Borden and Dr. John Spicer went to Richmond, Va., to-day to St. Luke's Hospital, to consult Dr. Stewart McGuire in regard to the wounds received by Mr. Borden in a recent conflict with Mr. Ed. L. Edmundson, in this city."

—Charlotte Observer: Mr. Charles P. Hudson, of Lancaster, S. C., arrived in the city last night, and will to-day put on exhibition a block ice cream freezer, on which he has recently received a patent. Mr. Hudson claims that his freezer will freeze cream into blocks in the space of ten or fifteen minutes. He says that he has struck a good thing, and he expects to push it for all it is worth. During to-day he will talk with some of the local manufacturers about manufacturing his new invention.

—A dispatch from Greensboro on Wednesday says: "Mayor Murphy this evening vetoed the ordinance passed by the city council last night granting the Southern Railway additional trackage facilities across main street at the station. The privilege was granted by a vote of five to one of members of the council. The council serving prior to the new one refused to grant the privilege. The Mayor's veto sustains their position and public sentiment sustains the Mayor's action."

—Rocky Mount Record.: "Just as we go to press we learn of a serious injury to Mr. Wm. Farmer, son of our townsman, Capt. W. A. Farmer. Mr. Wm. Farmer is yard master at Selma. Yesterday he discharged one of his negro employes and the negro became so enraged that he picked up a piece of iron about 2 by 12 inches, used to connect railroad rails, and dealt Mr. Farmer a blow on the head. Mr. Farmer was brought home yesterday on passenger train No. 40. The physicians stated it would take 60 hours to determine for certain if serious results would follow the injury."

—Lexington (N. C.) correspondence Charlotte Observer, May 24: "Col. F. H. Fries, of Winston, was in the city to-day in the interest of the Southbound railroad. He says the building of the road is assured, and that work is expected to commence at an early date. Most of the right of way through Davidson county has been secured. Wherever it has not, immediate steps will be taken toward this end. The location of the depot here has been decided upon. It will be about the western limits of the town, between the Roberts place and Mrs. T. C. Ford's, at the terminal of an extension of Depot street, leading from the Southern depot."

—A dispatch from Sanford on Wednesday says: "This morning about 7 o'clock the 11-year-old boy of Moses Alston, colored, attempted to cross the railroad by crawling underneath some freight cars on a siding near the Sanford Sash & Blind Company's plant, when a Southern Railway engine moved the cars a few feet. One wheel passed over the lower part of the boy's neck and one arm but neither was severed from the body. No one, it seems, knew of the accident until a short while after, when the boy was found beneath the trucks of the car, his limbs in a position as if in the act of crawling when his life was suddenly ended."

—Washington (D. C.) special to Charlotte Observer: "The primary object of this Northern trip of Governor R. B. Glenn and State Treasurer Lacy was disclosed to-day. They met Shaffer Bros. in New York this morning and paid over $215,864 for their holding of bonds secured by the State's stock in the North Carolina Railroad. This was the price previously agreed upon and the last Legislature authorized a bond issue to meet the obligation. The purpose of the Governor in not disclosing his mission was in deference to the wishes of Schaffer's counsel, who wanted to preclude the possibility of any legal interference by attorneys for holders of the old special bonds."

—Rocky Mount Record: "Two colored firemen of the Coast Line, Sam Nelson and Charlie Flag, became involved in a dispute over something to eat at South Rocky Mount Monday night, and as a result Charlie Flag pulled his knife and began to operate on Nelson. Nelson pulled his pistol and fired two effective bulets. They were both taken over to the Hospital and their wounds dressed by the resident physician, Dr. L. C. Covington. Nelson received three severe gashes in the fact and head. Flag was shot in the head near the ear, and in the abdomen. After Nelson's wounds were dressed he was discharged from the hospital. Flag is still confined with his wound's, which are very serious."

—Mr. H. Clay Grubb had another dangerous experience Wednesday morning on his way to Salisbury. He drives a very spirited double team and it was the horses this time that almost did the work. Mr. Grubb and a companion left home that morning shortly after sunrise and were going towards Salisbury. The associate had a shotgun and, seeing a crow, crawled out of the buggy to shoot it. The shot frightened the horses and they ran away. Mr. Grubb's right had still has shot in it and he has no use of that arm. He used his left hand to check the horses, which ran nearly two miles before they were stopped, near the freight depot in Spencer. No damage resulted from this experience, although Mr. Grubb's hand was badly blistered."

—Rocky Mount Record: "The A. C. L. R. R. Co. has under consideration the enlargement of their depot and yard at Rocky Mount and the directors of the Chamber of Commmerce have asked the railroad officials to give the citizens of Rocky Mount a hearing before any change is made in their present depot, the question of removal to another site having been under advisement. The officials have consented to put the matter off until the citizens of the town can be heard on the subject. This is a very important question to the town and one that will be considered very carefully before any steps are taken. The Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce has had up with the Railroad authorities the question of the increased force, which will follow the improvements now in progress at South Rocky Mount shops. The Railroad authorities have written the secretary that it is their purpose to increase the shop force more than 50 per cent. within the near future, or as soon as their new shop can be fully equipped with machinery. This will necessitate the building of something like 75 houses, in order that the new employes may find homes in Rocky Mount. This is a splendid opportunity for men with a limited or a large amount of capital to make profitable investments."

Count It Up

You'll be surprised how cheaply, how quickly, how easily you can earn valuable premiums by saving the freight car coupons on Good Luck Baking Powder can labels. Get a can to-day and look over the little Premium Booklet you find inside. It tells all about the most liberal premium system in the world—describes and pictures every one of the 56 high-class, valuable articles we offer. Good Luck coupons are worth dollars and cents to you—save them! See the cut below.

GOOD LUCK Baking Powder

has revolutionized baking. It is the baking powder of positive purity, of absolute certainty. Healthful, wholesome baking of snowy white, of feathery lightness, of delicious flavor invariably follows its use. On account of its superior leavening power it is ideal for quick baking. It costs you but 10 cents a pound—and it goes farther in quantity than any other. The excellence of Good Luck is shown in the fact that 16,145,714 pounds have been sold during the present year. Insist upon getting Good Luck. If your grocer hasn't it, send us his name and we'll see that you are supplied at once.

This is the coupon on every can.

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SPECIAL RATES VIA SEABOARD AIR LINE RY.

ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Conference Young People's Missionary Association, June 25th to July 2nd.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.—Summer School of Methods, June 27th to August 6th.

BALTIMORE, MD.—United Society Christian Endeavor International Convention, July 5th to 10th.

WRIGHTSVILLE, N. C.—Summer School, June 15th to 21st.

HOT SPRINGS, VA.—Southern Hardware Jobbers Association and American Hardware Manufacturers' Association, June 6th to 9th.

OXFORD, Miss.—Summer School University of Mississippi.

MOUNT EAGLE, TENN.—Mount Eagle Summer School Institute, July 17th to August 5th.

MOUNT EAGLE, TENN.—Women's Congress, August 1st to 15th.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—Peabody College School, Vanderbilt Biblical Institute, June 14th to August 9th.

TUSCALOOSA, ALA.—Summer School for Teachers, June 16th to July 28th.

KNOXVILLE, TENN.—Summer School, June 20th to July 28th.

MOUNT EAGLE, TENN.—Mount Eagle Bible Training School, July 23rd to August 15th.

RICHMOND, VA.—Farmers' National Congress, September 12th to 27th.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—National Baptist Anniversary, May 16th to 24th.

SAVANNAH, GA.—National Travelers' Protective Association of America, May 16th to 23rd.

ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Southern Atlantic Missionary Conference, May 17th to 21st.

FORT WORTH, Texas.—General Assembly of Southern Presbyterian Church, May 18th to 24th.

ATHENS, GA.—Summer School, June 27th to July 28th.

PORTLAND, ORE.—Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition, June 1st to October 15th.

PORTLAND, ORE.—American Medical Association, July 11th to 14th.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—American Surgical Association, July 4th to 7th.

Rates account of the above occasions will apply from all points, and for information as to date, tickets will be sold, rates, routes, reservation, etc., address,

C. H. GATTIS,
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SPECIAL RATES VIA ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Confederate Veterans' Reunion, Louisville, Ky., June 14th to 16th, 1905.

One cent per mile for distance traveled, plus 25 cents.

Rate from Wilmington, N. C., $16.05 for the round trip. Tickets on sale June 12th, 13th, 14th, and 15th, with final limit June 19th. Extension of final limit to July 10th, may be obtained by depositing tickets with Joint Agent, Louisville, Ky., and payment of fee of 50 cents on each ticket. Stop-over will be allowed at Petersburg, Richmond, White Sulphur Springs and Covington, Va., (for Hot Springs).

Special train service and through pullman cars will be operated from convenient points. For other information see the Agent, or consult "The Purple Folder."

H. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager,
W. J. CRAIG, GEN. Passenger Agt.
Wilmington, N. C.
may 21 till June 15**

Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast approaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., describing his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life. I had tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benefit, until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt a like new man, and to-day I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at R. R. Bellamy's drug store; price, 50c. **

A DANGEROUS MISTAKE

Wilmington Mothers Should Not Neglect Kidney Weakness in Children.

Most children have weak kidneys.
The earliest warning is bed-wetting.
Later comes backache, headache, languor.
'Tis a mistake to neglect these troubles,
To blame the child for its own distress.
Seek to cure the kidneys—
Save the child from deadly kidney ills.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys.
Wilmington parents recommend them.

J. T. Ebert, formerly of 515 South Sixth street, mattress maker, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills in my family. My little girl complained of severe pains in the small of her back, and the kidney secretions were dark and full of brickdust sediment. We were very much worried about her and when I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills I went up to R. R. Bellamy's drug store and got a box and gave them to her. Since using them she has improved wonderfully and is a different child. Her kidney secretions cleared up, she does not complain of her back, and in fact Doan's Kidney Pills gave her new life. We are very much pleased with them and you can use my name and welcome."

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Remember the name—DOAN'S—and take no other. **

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When It Is Free of Dandruff, It Grows Luxuriantly.

Hair preparations and dandruff cures, as a rule, are sticky or irritating affairs that do no earthly good. Hair, when not diseased, grows naturally, luxuriantly. Dandruff is the cause of nine-tenths of all hair trouble, and dandruff is caused by a germ. The only way to cure dandruff is to kill the germ; and, so far, the only hair preparation that will positively destroy the germ is Newbro's Herpicide—absolutely harmless, free from grease, sediment, dye matter or dangerous drugs. It allays itching instantly; makes hair glossy and soft as silk. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

HARDIN'S PHARMACY, Special Agent.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Cray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggragated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At R. R. Bellamy's drug store, price 50 c. and $1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free. **

Excursion to Wilson.

Thos. H. Knight offers the cheapest of all cheap excursions to Wilson on Monday, June 5th., over the Atlantic Coast Line. This will afford a most excellent opportunity to visit beautiful and progressive Wilson at a cost that you will not miss. The rate from Wilmington, N. C., will be $1.00 for the round trip. Such a chance may never present itself again. There will be provided, separate cars for white and colored people. Train leaves Wilmington at 7.00 A. M., returning leaves Wilson at 10:30 P. M.

may 25 till June 5.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

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Which Shall It Be?

Will you buy your clothes and furnishings in one certain place because you've been in the habit of doing it or go to the man who offers you the best value? We believe J. M. Solky & Co. clothing at its price to be the best value in clothing obtainable—and we know also that there's nothing to be had today that can match it in style or fit, or in workmanship, while quality is guaranteed by reputation.

Men's Spring Suits	$7.50 to	$22.50
Youth's Clothing	5.00 to	16.50
Boys' Wool Suits	1.50 to	6.50
Boys' Wash Suits	50 to	2.50
Panama Hats	$5.00 to	$10.00
Straw Hats	50 to	3.00
Felt Hats	1.00 to	5.00
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Men's and Boys' Shirts 50c. to $2.00. Underwear from 25c. to $1.50 each. All the new Neckwear you find here

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may 14 tf.

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Quick Bicycle Delivery.

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MATT J. HEYER, President.
B. H. J. AHRENS, Vice President.
MILTON CALDER Cashier.

may 24 tf.

TELEPHONE 162.

Metts' Insurance Office.

FIRE,

Employers' Liability and Accident.

Office S. A. L. Building, N. Front St.

may 14 tf.

Atlantic & North Carolina R. R.

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Schedule in Effect Feb. 5, 1905.

EASTBOUND.

Stations.	No. 3.	No. 5.
Lv. Goldsboro	3 45 p m	8 00 a m
Lv. LaGrange	4 16 p m	8 28 a m
Lv. Kinston	4 40 p m	8 52 a m
Lv. Dover	5 02 p m	9 14 a m
Lv. Cove	5 16 p m	9 27 a m
Lv. Tuscarora	5 26 p m	9 37 a m
Ar. Newbern	6 45 p m	10 00 a m

	No. 7 (Accom)
Lv. New Bern	5 55 p m 10 10 a m
Lv. Riverdale	6 15 p m 10 28 a m
Lv. Havelock	6 41 p m 10 44 a m
Lv. Newport	6 47 p m 11 00 a m
Ar. Morehead City	7 12 p m 11 23 a m

WESTBOUND.

	No. 4	No. 8 (Accom)
Lv Morehead City	7 40 a m	4 30 p m
Lv. Newport	8 11 a m	4 57 p m
Lv. Havelock	8 27 a m	5 13 p m
Ar. New Bern	9 00 a m	5 39 p m
Lv. Riverdale	8 42 a m	6 45 p m

	No. 6
Lv. New Bern	9 15 a m 6 10 p m
Lv. Tuscarora	9 37 a m 6 32 p m
Lv. Cove	9 49 a m 6 44 p m
Lv. Dover	10 03 a m 6 58 p m
Lv. Kinston	10 27 a m 7 20 p m
Lv. LaGrange	10 51 a m 7 42 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	11 20 a m 8 10 p m

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE Atlantic National Bank at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, March 14th, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 822,665 82
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		921 29
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits		77,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand		16,000 00
Stocks, securities, &c.		26,850 00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		20,000 00
Other real estate owned		10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		128,647 18
Due from State Banks and Bankers		104,710 91
Due from approved reserve agents		85,434 09
Checks and other cash items		150 00
Notes of other National Banks		12,575 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		253 50
Lawful Money Reserve in bank viz:		
Specie	$18,021 00	
Legal tender nts.	$22,396 00	50,417 00
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		3,050 25
Total		$1,493,675 14

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	84,832 92
National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Due to other National Banks	105 733 72
Due to State Banks and Bankers	84,426 76
Dividends unpaid	551 00
Individual deposits subject to check	715,815 05
Certified checks	904 97
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,411 72
United States deposits	77,000 00
Total	$1,493,675 14

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, J. W. Yates, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1905.

GEORGE SLOAN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JAS. H. CHADBOURN,
D. McEACHERN,
C. W. YATES,
Directors.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect April 16, 1905.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 22 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 22 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 00 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	6 00 am	2 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar. Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	9 55 am
Ar. Charlest'n	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar. Savannah	6 45 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar. Jacksville	.....	8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar. Tampa	.....	6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 35 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8 50 a m	Ar. 3 00 p m
Ar. Fayettesville	12 15 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 5 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	5 25 p m	Ar. 12 20 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

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To The Beach and Wrightsville.

Suburban Schedule.

In effect, May 20th, 1905.

Leave Front and Princess. (Daily)	Leave the Beach. (Daily)
8.00 A. M.	8.45 A. M.
9.00 A. M.	9.45 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	10.45 A. M.
11.00 A. M.	11.45 A. M.
12.00 A. M.	12.45 P. M.
1.00 P. M.	1.45 P. M.
2.00 P. M.	2.45 P. M.
3.00 P. M.	3.45 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	4.45 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	5.45 P. M.
6.00 P. M.	6.45 P. M.
7.00 P. M.	7.45 P. M.
8.00 P. M.	8.45 P. M.
9.00 P. M.	9.45 P. M.
10.00 P. M.	10.45 P. M.

Saturdays and Sundays.

In addition to the above schedule, cars will be operated every half hour from 1.00 to 6.00 P. M.; leaving the Beach every half hour from 1.45 to 6.45 P. M.

The early morning car leaving Front and Princess at 6.30 A. M. and the Beach at 7.15 A. M. will be operated daily except Sundays.

FREIGHT CAR.

Leave 9th and Orange Sts.	Leave the Beach.
10.30 A. M.	11.45 A. M.
4.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

Freight depot open from from 9.30 to 10.30 A. M. and 3.00 to 4.00 P. M.

S. A. L. Car.

(Without change.)

Leave Front and Princess	Leave S. A. L. Depot.
6.40 A. M.	7.00 A. M.
12.35 P. M.	12.45 P. M.
2.35 P. M.	3.00 P. M.
8.35 P. M.	8.45 P. M.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Friday Morning, May 26.

PHILADELPHIA GAS ROW

People Give Mayor Weaver Ovation for His Courage—Councilmen Changing Attitude on Lease Question.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Philadelphia, May 25.—The bitter feeling that has been engenered by the gas lease fight was intensified today when Mayor Weaver practically ejected from the offices of the departments of public safety and public works his two former directors and again installed the men appointed by him on Tuesday night. The action of the mayor today was the most sensational move that he has yet made. The moment the news flashed through the great city building that the old directors were out and the new men in rumors flew thick and fast that a wholesale dismissal of bureau chiefs and other officials was about to occure. While the mayor was ordering his old directors out of their office his attorneys appeared in the Supreme Court and obtained a special supersedas suspending the temporary injunction granted to the old directors yesterday by the county court. A dramatic incident of the day was the great ovation given Mayor Weaver by several thousand persons while on his way from city hall to the Union League for lunch.

In the thick of the fight this afternoon came the story, but from where no one appears to know, that the mayor is to be impeached. For what particular offense was not clearly defined. One rumor had it that he would be brought before the bar of city councils for his conduct of an election fraud case while he was district attorney, and another rumor had it that he was to be made to answer for some alleged lapse of duty while in his present position. All attempts to confirm the impeachment rumor failed, but at the same time no one could be induced to deny them.

The organization leaders say they continue to "stand pat" on the gas lease and that their ranks are solid all along the line. On the other hand Mayor Weaver announced late to-day that he had assurances that the vote in both council chambers when his veto is considered will be changed materially from the vote taken last week. One councilman publicly announced to-day that he would change his vote and it is understood that the mayor has the direct promise from several others that they will sustain him.

The situation is daily growing more tense. In all sections of the city the reform organizations and the newspapers have aroused citizens to take a hand in the fight. The councilmen who favor the gas lease are having a hard time of it. They are being swamped with protests and delegations of neighbors are calling on them at their homes or places of business or are holding them up on the streets. Many of them reply that they are for the lease so long as the "Peerless leader," as Commissioner Durham is affectionately called by the organized men, is for it.

Mayor Weaver is receiving hundreds of letters and telegrams of congratulation. Among them was the following:

"I congratulate you on the firm stand you have taken in behalf of the people.
(Signed) "EDWARD F. DUNNE,
"Mayor of Chicago."

SLAUGHTER & DESTRUCTION

Warsaw Mobs Killed Eight People and Smashed Pianos, Furniture and Jewelry of Disreputable Houses.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Warsaw, May 25.—The Jewish disorders here last night arose from an attempt of the Jewish socialist organization called the Bund to Purge the Hebrew district of Warsaw of all disreputable persons. The Bundites with the view to expelling their undesirable co-religionists commenced to wreck disorderly houses, cafes and other resorts.

The disturbances continued all day and were still in progress late to-night. Eight persons have already been killed and 100 wounded, 19 seriously. The damage to property has been considerable. There has been no pillaging, but the destruction of the furniture in the various houses has been absolute.

The mob, armed with axes, smashed the doors and windows and brought the furniture out on the streets where they broke it into small pieces. The owners of the furniture in attempting to defend their belongings were attacked, beaten and even killed. Knives and revolvers were used freely and many persons were terribly injured. Thh authorities took no steps to prevent the riots until late to-night when the Cossacks fired on the crowds at two points, wounding four persons.

The correspondent of the Associated Press spent several hours in the disturbed district, but did not see a single active policeman. During the day patrols occasionally appeared, but they regarded the proceedings as merely spectators. This character of the disturbances is unprecedented. The whole affair is a conflict between the respectable Jewish Socialist classes and the disreputable Jewish element.

Extraordinary scenes were witnessed late tonight when the crowds visited the better sections of the city and demolished apartments filled with costly effects. Wardrobes, pianos and mirrors were thrown out of the windows. The mob in the streets, left open spaces for the falling articles and then completed the work of destruction. In One place a quantity of valuable jewelry was taken out and deliberately smashed with stones.

The whole affair was carefully organized. The leaders were supplied with the addresses of the owners of disreputable houses and scarcely a single resort in Warsaw escaped destruction.

ST. MARY'S COMMENCEMENT.

Brilliant Finale to Interesting Exercises Yesterday Morning.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 25.—The commence of St. Mary's School had a brilliant finale this morning in graduating exercises during which thirteen young ladies received diplomas. The salutatory was by Miss Annie Marrow Clark, of Scotland Neck; class essay by Miss Bessie Poe Law, of Raleigh; valedictory by Miss Margaret Rosalie Du Bose, of Raleigh; address to graduates by Bishop Cheshire, who announced with much gratification that the debt on the school has been reduced from $50,000 to $10,000. Among the graduates is Miss Florence Lawton Grant, of Wilmington.

Morgan Treat, of Richmond, Va., has been appointed United States marshal for the Eastern District of Virginia vice J. E. B. Stuart, who will be appointed collector of customs at Newport News.

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ILL FEELING WAS RAMPANT

Proceedings of Southern Industrial Parliament Not Very Parliamentary.

WAS SPIRITED AND PERSONAL

W. A. Irwin, of Durham, Thinks President Roosevelt Possesses a Magic Wand—Flag and Apropriation —The Procedings.

Washington, May 25.—After adopting resolutions on subjects of vital interest to the South, the Southern Industrial Parliament adjourned to-day to meet in some Southern city at a date in October to be designated later by Governor Glenn, of North Carolina, chairman of the executive committee.

The day's discussions were spirited and personal. Before adjournment, however, all feeling had vanished and many delegates rose and declared that the parliament had been a success and that the foundation had been laid for a gigantic organization. Owing to the amount of business necessary to be concluded, the parliament was compelled to abandon its programme. Except a brief address by Gifford Pinchot, chief of the bureau of forestry of the Department of Agriculture, who advised the conservation of the forests of the South, no papers were read. The resolutions adopted were as follows:

Urging the government to construct inland waters in the South Atlantic and Gulf States, and to improve the rivers and harbors of the South; requesting the Secretary of Commerce and Labor to make immediate efforts to relieve the depressed conditions existing with the cotton milling industry; urging the establishment by each Southern State of a bureau of immigration;; thanking the railroads of the South for their efforts to develop the resources of that section; authorizing the president of the parliament to appoint a committee of five, of which he shall be chairman, to prepare a general statement setting forth the advantages, productions, resources and present needs of the South, and directing the executive committee together with the permanent president to formulate a plan of permanent organization; urging Congress to reduce the tax on tobacco; endorsing the proposed pan-American college to be established in the South; urging Congress to make appropriations for the eradication of tick fever among Southern cattle; endorsing the bill to authorize the commissioner general of immigration to establish at Ellis Island, New York, a bureau of information for immigrants; urging the formulation of some plan whereby cotton may be marketed as the world needs it, and commending a bonded warehouse system; and commending the bureau of forestry of the Department of Agriculture for its valuable work, and urging the people of the South to save unnecessary denudation of their forests.

Invitations were extended by Raleigh and Asheville, N. C., Savannah, Ga., and New Orleans, La., to hold the next meeting of the parliament in those cities.

The parliament was thrown into disorder af the morning session over the question of the adoption of a resolution introduced by W. I. Irvin, of Durham, N. C., calling upon President Roosevelt to lend his aid through the Department of Commerce and Labor in relieving the present depressing conditions surrounding the cotton industry.

Delegates bitterly protested against a motion by Secretary W. C. Murphy to postpone action on all resolutions until the next meeting of the parliament and charged that an effort was being made to gag the members and side-track important matters. The motion was voted down and after a stormy debate the parliament recessed until the afternon in order that the delegates might call upon President Roosevelt.

The programme called for the reading of several papers bearing on the manufacturing interests of the South, but Mr. Irwin was recognized to address the body upon his resolution. He said that he had been unable to secure a meeting of the ocmmittee on manufactures to consider it. The octton question he declared was a vital one to the parliament and cotton milling could not be side-tracked in interest to the country. He enquired if the question was to be ignored. The South needed help, he said, at this time, and the parliament was here to call for help. The man of the hour to whom the delegates should look, he declared, amid applause, was President Roosevelt, whom he believed, could and would help. President Roosevelt, he said, was the greatest man in the country to-day who not only had the power but the mind and the will to help. The South, he said, needed something else besides immigration of labor, and that was to encourage and extend to the markets of the world cotton manufactured goods. But what was needed more than anything else was the guarding of the trade already established in the orient and which now seemed to be threatened with dire disaster on account of the present laws prevailing in this country. Further commending the President, Mr. Irwin said he was a man who had a way of doing things "and," he added amid more applause, "he is our President of the South as well as of the North, or the East or the West, and to him we are looking for help."

Several other members protested that the paramount question in the South, that of cotton, had been totally neglected by the parliament. J. A. Brown, of North Carolina, insisted that some system should be devised by whichm the values of cotton could be made stable.

The resolutions reported by the committee on resolutions were not read, but the Irwin resolution was as follows:

"Resolved, That this industrial parliament now in session memorializes the President of this great nation, Honorable Theodore Roosevelt, commending his zeal in pressing forward the construction of the isthmian canal which we are profoundly convinced promises incalculable aid in the extension and upbuilding our export trade for cotton manufactured and other products of the industrial enterprises of this country, and bids him God speed in the full completion and successful operation of this prodiguous enterprise.

"Resolved, That we here and now appeal to our President, Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, to promptly inauguarte through the new Department of Commerce and Labor, or whatever channels his wisdom elects, immediate efforts to relieve the depressing condition existing in the important and tremendous industry of cotton milling in this country, by encouraging, broadening and expanding our markets for our cotton and other manufactured products.

"Resolved Further, That Senator F. M. Simmons, of North Carolina, be and is hereby appointed a committee of one to this day present President Roosevelt with a copy of these resolutions with the assurances of the high esteem of this parliament."

At the White House this afternoon the delegates were introduced to the President by District Commissioner West.

CAPTAIN HOBSON WEDS MISS GRIZELDA HULL

Key With Which He Was Locked in Prison by Spaniards One of Wedding Presents.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Tuxedo Park, N. Y., May 25.—The wedding of Miss Grizelda Pearson Hobson, formerly of the United States navy, took place this afternoon at the cottage of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Huntington Hull, in Tuxedo. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William Fitzsimon, rector of St. Mary's Tuxedo Park, who stood under a series of three arches of flowers arranged between the conservatory and the drawing room. A specially erected altar was covered with a magnificent altar cloth of the period of Louis XIV.

The flowers which decorated the altar were sent from Mount Vernon, the home of Washington, by Mrs. Johnson, regent of the Mount Vernon Society. Miss Lucia E. Hull, younger sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and Lieutenant James M. Hobson, Jr., U. S. A., brother of the groom, acted as best man. The entire house was beautifully and profusely decorated with rare flowers.

The gift of A. M. Tucker, of Canton, O., was the key with which Captain Hobson was locked in the cell of the Morro, at Santiago during the Spanish-American war. Other gifts were Captain Hobson's glasses that were sunk with the Merrimac and pieces of wood taken from the same vessel.

The guests were confined to the relatives and intimate friends of the two families and were chiefly from New York, Tuxedo and the South. Among them were the Misses Ann, Margaret and Florence Hobson, sisters of the groom; Rear Admiral Chadwick, U. S. N., Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles, Major General Joseph Wheeler, U. S. A.; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dickerson, and Miss Hubbell, of Springfield, Mo.; Mr. George and Miss Irene Gore, of St. Louis, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Price of North Carolina.

The wedding guests left with Captain Hobson and Mrs. Hobson at 6 o'clock on a special train. Captain and Mrs. Hobson will pass several weeks in the Adirondacks after which they will go to Greensboro, Ala., where they will reside.

THE ASHEVILLE RUNAWAY BOY.

Boy Who Tried the Swindle Game in Trouble.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Asheville, N. C., May 25.—Up to 7 o'clock to-night, no trace of Siegfred Roebling, who has now been missing from an Asheville School for five days, had been found by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Roebling, or by the various searching parties which have been organized since the lad disappeared.

Mr. Roebling denied the report in a New York paper to the effect that his son had runaway before and had gone to England. "This is the first time that he has ever left us," he said.

Various rumors current today that young Roebling had been seen in the neighborhood of this city, have all been investigated but prove to be groundless.

New York, May 25.—Daniel Dolan, the young man who was arrested last night charged with attempting to obtain money unduly from Colonel Washington A. Roebling today was held in $1,000 for further hearing. Dolan, it is alleged, sent a telegram to Colonel Roebling signed with the name of the Colonel's grandson, Siegfred, who disappeared from school at Asheville, N. C., a few days ago. The telegram requested $50, to cover expenses of returning to Trenton, the home of the Roebling family. Seigfred Roebling is believed to be in the South.

SENATOR TILLMAN HURT.

Was Driven in the Dark Over Fifteen Foot Embankment.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Charleston, S. C., May 25.—Late last night, while returning home to Trenton in a carriage after attending the commencement exercises of the South Carolina co-educational institution at Edgefield, Senator Benjamin R. Tillman was drvien over an embankment near the campus and painfully injured, sustaining two ugly cuts on the top of his head and being otherwise bruised. It was very dark and the horses missed the road precipitating the carriage and occupants down a distance of about fifteen feet. In the carriage were Senator Tillman's daughters, Misses Lola and Molly May and Miss Bryant. None of the ladies was injured. Senator Tillman's injuries were given prompt attention and it is understood today that he will not suffer any serious consequences from the tumble.

HORNER MILITARY SCHOOL.

Fifty-fourth Annual Commencement—Field Day, Etc.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Oxford, N. C., May 25.—The fifty-fourth anniversary and commencement of Horner's Military School opened Wednesday afternoon with the competetive field day meet of the two companies. The results were as follows: One hundred mile run, won by H. G. Coughenour, 11 seconds. One quarter mile run, won by McH. Long, 66 seconds. One mile run, by Jesse B. Adams, 5 minutes, 5 seconds; Shot Put, by W. H. Neal, 26 feet 8 inches; 220 yards dash, by H. G. Coughenour, 26 seconds. Pole vault by H. L. Perry, 8 feet 4 inches. High jump, by J. H. Carter, 5 feet, 4 inches. Hammer throwing, by A. G. Thompson, 91 feet 10 inches. Relay mile run, by Company "B. S." team; D. L. Struthers, J. C. Ellen, Ralph Long and R. W. Baker. B. Compay won in athletics 47 points; A Company 46 points. This was the closest meet in Horner's record.

Following this the opening exercises of the Franklin and Washington Societies were held. The opening address was by Jesse B. Adams, president of the Franklin society. This was followed by orators, essays, debaters and declaimers.

A competitive dumb bell drill opened Thursday's exercises and the event was won by one point by Company "A." The competitive military drill for colors was won by Company "B." Thursday night the manual of arms contest was won by Chas. O. Robinson, of Company "A." Company "B" has held the colors for the past three years and in every particular has shown herself the superior company this year, although both companies are said to have acquitted themselves well as the result of harder and more faithful work than they have heretofore known.

The companies give three joint dances to-night, Friday morning and Friday night, respectively.

The Encampment.

Adjutant General Robertson, of the N. C. National Guard, will be here Monday to inspect sites for the encampment of the Second and Third Regiments on Wrightsville Sound. He expected to be here yesterday, but those in charge of the arrangements telegraphed him to defer the visit until Monday. In the meantime a number of details will be arranged.

NAVAL BATTLE FALSE RUMOR

Russian Officials Believe That Rojestvensky First Aims to Reach His Base.

TOGO WILL HAVE TO FIGHT

Russian Fleet Will Bombard Japanese Coast City to Make Him Come Out to Battle—Russians Are Boastful.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

St. Petersburg, May 25.—The admiralty has no information confirmatory of the Manila report of the defeat of Admiral Togo south of Formosa. While it is considered possible that there may have been a brush between scouts, the idea of an open battle with Togo is not credited in the best informed naval circles where the opinion is expressed that Admiral Togo would not dare to risk bringing his battleship division so far south to meet Admiral Rojestvensky. It is believed that Togo will try to keep in touch with the Russians by means of fast cruisers and await his approach on the Japanese coast.

News of Battle Discredited.

According to the admiralty's calculations Rojestvensky should now be far out in the Pacific almost a thousand miles northeast of the place where the battle is reported to have occurred. An admiral of his rank said to the Associated press this afternoon:

"We have known for some time that Rojestvensky would not attempt to pass through the straits of Formosa where the waters are shallow and could easily be mined ahead of his ships. Rojestvensky will undoubtedly keep far out to sea in order to avoid torpedo attacks. A wide detour will also make it harder for the Japanese scouts to communicate with Togo. However, I expect news of a battle within ten days."

The evening papers have got out extras on the report of Rojestvensky's victory and the newsboys crying the tidings on the Novski prospect were almost mobbed by the people in their eagerness to learn the details.

Togo's Got to Fight.

Admiral Avellan, head of the Russian Admiralty Department, confirms the Associated Press dispatch saying Vice Admiral Rojestvensky is steaming north to give battle to Admiral Togo. He considers it possible that news to the effect that the two fleets have met may be received any day.

In an interesting interview Admiral Avellan reaffirms the official denial of the reports that Rojestvensky has broken down and asked to be relieved. Avellan says Rojestvensky sent detailed reports on the condition of his own health and of the health of the crews of his ships. The constant tension and hard work of the past months have been a great strain on the admiral's health.

"Do you anticipate a sea fight soon?" the admiral was asked. He replied:

"Certainly. The Japanese cannot afford to allow Rojestvensky to reach Vladivostok without an engagement. I personally expect it to take place in the near future though I admit the admiralty knows nothing of Rojestvensky's strategy or plans, the Emperor having accorded him complete freedom of action. Possibly it is his present purpose to seek Admiral Togo and force a fight but it is more probable that Rojestvensky is bound for his base at Vladivostok."

Russians May Bombard Japanese City.

In response to a suggestion that Togo might intentionally allow Rojestvensky to get to Vladivostok, contenti himself with torpedo attacks while the Russians are on their way there and then try to bottle Rojestvensky up in VlVladivostok, Admiral Avellan smiled and said:

"The story of Port Arthur will not be repeated. Rojestvensky is not the kind of man to allow himself to be locked up in a port. If he gets to Vladivostok he will not rest on his laurels but will seek an engagement. He will try to wrest the mastery of the sea from Togo. There are many ways of compelling Togo to accept battle. Rojestvensky will only have to bombard one of the coast cities to force Togo to appear in its defence."

Admiral Birilieff left St. Petersburg for Vladivostok to-day by special train. All other trains will be side-tracked in order to enable his train to get to Vladivostok quickly. The admiral expects to make a record trip in order to reach his post before Rojestvensky arrives. Several train loads of coal are on their way to Vladivostok.

War Ships Sighted.

Manila, May 25.—Official advices have been received from Vigan that on May 20 over fifty war vessels were sighted off the east coast of the Batan Islands, sailing in a northeast direction. It is supposed that the vessels were Russian.

The Batan Islands are about half way between Luzon and Formoso.

Russian Volunteer Fleet.

Shanghai, May 25.—It is credibly reported that five volunteer cruisers of the Russian fleet, accompanied by three colliers and one Russian cruiser, arrived at the mouth of the Yangtse river this afternoon. Later the cruiser departed and three of the volunteers came to Woosung to-night.

PILOTAGE BOAT ARRIVES.

"Calypso" Now at Southport for Wilmington Company.

The schooner-yacht "Calypso," recently purchased in New York by Capt. Archie Guthrie for the company of Wilmington business men interested in the maintenance of the Chamber of Commerce system of pilotage on the Cape Fear river and bar, arrived yesterday at Southport and will probably be brought up to the city for the inspection of its owners to-day.

The "Calypso" was formely the schooner-yacht "Her Royal Highness" and was built in Groton, Conn., in 1893. Her home port is New York. She has a gross tonnage of 26; net tonnage 25; 57.3 feet in length; 17.2 feet breadth; 5.7 feet depth and is manned by a crew of six. She will be used as a pilotage boat for cruising off Southport and is said to be admirably adapted to the service.

Purchased Fne Auto.

Mr. Frederick Pope, formerly with the Weed Distilling Co., in this city, has purchased through the Wilmington agency of Mr. Frank Herbst, a handsome Wayne, 28 horse power, touring car of the latest type, in which he and party expect to make a tour of Europe this Summer. Mr. Pope has ordered the car shipped from the factory at Boston to New York, where the machine will be taken over by steamer.

GREATER UNIVERSITY FOR PRESBYTERIANS

Southern General Assembly Cannot Undertake It at This Time—Proceedings Yesterday.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Fort Worth, Texas, May 25.—The principal feature of the morning session of the Southern Presbyterian General Assembly was a discussion of the project of establishing a university for the entire Southern church at Atlanta.

The report of the standing committee on hte church and Christian education which was reported yesterday was again read. A general debate followed the reading of the report.

The theory of those who opposed adopting the favorable report of the committee was that such an institution should have more than $1,000,000 to start on, and that if there is to be a school for higher education that one of the existing schools should be chosen rather than to build a new one. The question was finally settled by a motion being offered to the effect that the General Assembly does not see its way clear to undertake such an enterprise, but at the same time appreciates the work of those who have been pushing the question and wishes them success in their undertaking, provided they choose to carry it on independently of the General Assembly for the sake of the Synod or the section of the country immediately surrounding Atlanta. There were many commissioners who stood firm for the proposed institution, but these were outnumbered two to one when the final vote was taken.

A number of minor reports were read among them were the following:

Report of the committee on foreign missions, approving the overtures of the Chinese missions and recommending the sum of $275,000 to be expended on mission work this year.

Report of the twentieth century fund committee showing that a total of $300,000 has been pledged.

Report of the ocmmittee on systematic beneficence showing a total of $526,656 collected.

Report of the committee on theological seminaries stating that great work has been done during the year without incurring any indebtedness to the institutions.

DIED IN BLADEN COUNTY.

Mr. T. C. Moore Passed Away Yesterday Morning—Funeral To-Day.

A telegram to members of the family in Wilmington yesterday conveyed to them the sad intelligence that Mr. Thomas Clifford Moore, a former resident here, had died rather suddenly the same morning of a congestive chill, at his home at White Lake, Bladen county, where he had lived for a number of years. Mr. Moore was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him, and the news of his death will be received with sincere regret everywhere. He was a son of the lamented Frederick A. Moore, of this county, and lived here until after the war. He was a member of the Wilmington Light Infantry in the sixties, and at the outbreak of the conflict between the States he was instrumental in the organization of Bunting's Battery, which later became Southerland's Battery. Under the latter command Mr. Moore served the Confederacy valiantly as first lieutenant, and laid down his arms at the surrender at Bentonsville. Many of his former comrades speak in the highest terms of him as a soldier.

Mr. Moore would have been 73 years of age on September 3rd., of this year. He is survived by his wife and six daughters, the children being Mrs. J. A. Munn, Mrs. Matilda Willis and Miss Wilhelmina Moore, of Wilmington; Mrs. J. W. Hall, of Elizabethtown, Mrs. C. S. Love, of Macon, Ga., and Miss Theresa Moore, of White Lake. He is also survived by a brother, Mr. E. H. Moore, of this city. The bereaved family has the sympathy of many friends. The remains will be brought to Wilmington on the S. A. L. train today and funeral services will be conducted from the station by Rev A. W. Seabrease, of the Episcopal Church. The interment will oe in Oakdale cemetery.

PORT PARAGRAPHS.

Cotton Steamer for Havre, France—The Local Markets.

British steamer Haslingden cleared yesterday with cargo of 5,992 bales of cotton; valued at $265,500 and consigned by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Spirits turpentine was firm at 69 cents on the local market yesterday, while $3.35 was bid for rosin. Crude was quoted firm $2.50, $4.75 and $5.25. The cotton market was off yesterday, New York spot having been quiet at 8.50. Receipts were 629 bales at the port of Wilmington.

Schooner Warren B. Potter arrived yesterday from New York with cargo of crushed stone for Fort Caswell. The tug Astral proceeded with Standard Oil Barge No. 81 for Charleston. Schooner Lottie R. Russell cleared, light, from Fort Caswell for Georgetown, S. C., and schooner Hugh Kelley cleared with cargo lumber from the Cape Fear and Angola lumber mills for New York.

Buffalo Excursion.

The Junior Herd of Buffalos in this city made a splendid success of their excursion to Carolina Beach on the steamer Wilmington yesterday and last night. The three trips of the boat carried between 400 and 500 excursionists, but far the larger number on the evening trip. There was music and dancing in the pavilion until a late hour, the last boat reaching the city at 12 o'clock. The season ticket on the steamer offered by H. A. Kure & Sons, in an interesting bowling alley contest, was won by Mr. Dick Stokley in a score of 215 out a possible 300. The Buffalo committee consisted of Messrs. Jno. N. Bennett, W. B. Savage and W. L. West and they made a fine success of the outing.

Fourth Street Grocery.

Capt. S. F. Craig has just installed in his up-to-date grocery, No. 605 North Fourth street, a large Alaska refrigerator case in which all perishable stock is kept clean and perfectly fresh on cold storage. He has just received a consignment of fresh strawberries which are delivered ice cold, firm and palatable from the refrigerator. Capt. Craig has one of the most up-to-date places in the city, and a call at his store will be appreciated.

Women's $1 Hats for 50c.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

Women's $1 Hats for 50c.

Important Reduction Sale of Women's and Children's Hats.

THOUSANDS OF HATS, THIS SEASON'S STYLES, TAKEN FROM OUR REGULAR STOCK AND GREATLY REDUCED. JUST AT THE TIME YOU WISH THEM MOST WE OFFER YOU A DECIDED SAVING.

Two Thousand Women's Shirt Waist Hats, worth from 75c. to $1.00. Special .....50c.

Five Hundred Women's $1.50 Shirt Waist Hats, 25 styles. Special at $1.00

Two Hundred Women's Shirt Waist Hats, worth $2.50 and $3.00. Special at $1.98

Fourteen Dozen Women's Duck Hats, white and champagne. Special at .....47c.

Ten Dozen Childs' Sailors, in blue and white, and red and white straws, easily worth 65c. Special at ..45c.

Five Dozen Childs' Sailors, in plain white and mixed straw, easily worth 75c. and $1.00. Special at .....50c.

Three Dozen Childs' Sailors, Milan Straw, solid colors, red, brown, navy and white, worth $2.00 to $2.50. Special at $1.75

We Pay Your Car Fare.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

We Give Premium Punch Cards.

may 20 tf

An Object Lesson.

A purse was found on Market street Tuesday, and was advertised in the Business Locals department of the Star Thursday. The owner saw the advertisement, which appeared in no other paper, came to the office, identified the purse and got it, with its contents amounting to twelve dollars. The advertisement cost 25 cents.

Do you want

to be cool and comfortable in the hottest weather. An electric fan will do the trick. **

DO YOU WANT

A girl for general housework? A sewing girl? A woman to wash? A man to attend to your furnace or help around the house?

Or do you want a situation? A room? Board or boarders? To rent a house?

Perhaps you have a house or lot for sale or exchange? Perhaps you want to buy or sell a horse?

You may want to buy or sell a piano, furniture, cameras, dishes, lawn mower, automobile, bath tub, parrot, dog, curtains, sewing machine, watch, diamonds, jewelry of any description, clock, buggy, shotgun, rifle, stove, stools?

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

Will accomplish any of these things for you

COST ONE CENT A WORD!

But no advertisement taken for less than 25 cents.

may 16 tf

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Notices for Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for **1 cent** per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than **25 cents.** Terms positively cash in advance.

FOR SALE---A DOUBLE BUILDING Lot on east side of Fourth, between Chestnut and Grace. For terms call on M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate Agents, 114 1-2 Princess St. my 26 tf

WANTED---ANY PERSON TO DISTRIBUTE our samples; $18.00 weekly, steady. "Empire" 4 Wells St., Chicago.

NIGHT AND DAY OUR NEW FOUNTAIN is attracting hundreds. Latest flavorings and eqtracts. Ice cream served daily. Dixie Cafe. 117 Princess street. may 23 tf.

PIANO TUNING, VOICING, ACTION Regulating, Organ Repairing and Tuning. Drop a postal card and I will call in or out of the city. Martin Guldbrandson. P. O. Box 369. Telephone 796. Wilmington, N. C., may 13 tf

WANTED—THE PUBLIC TO TRY White House and Boston Combination Coffee, Bouquet Butter, Obelisk Flour. Southern trading stamps with cash sales. 'Phone 547. S. F. Craig, 605 North Fourth street. may 16 tf

WANTED—A GOOD SECOND HAND 10 H. P. Boiler and Engine. Apply to The Worth Co. may 13 tf

NOW IS THE TIME TO SELECT your Cottage for the Summer at Atlantic View, Wrightsville Sound. Have several nice ones not yet taken. Apply to J. H. Hanby, Wrightsville, N. C. may 28 1m

JUST RECEIVED—CARLOAD EACH of Fancy Baldwin Apples, Bananas and fine Danish Cabbage for quick sale. Fresh consignments of all kinds; country produce being received daily. A. S. Winstead, 213 Market street. 'Phone 202. apr 25 tf

FOR RENT—THAT OLD ESTABLISHED photograph gallery, No. 114 Market street, between Front and Second. Best location in city. Possession given at once. Apply to B. H. J. Ahrens. apr 2 tf

FOR SALE, A MANDOLIN, BUT LITTLE used and in perfect condition, with case. Will be sold for half original cost. Apply at Star Office. apr 21 tf

LETTER - HEADS, BILL - HEADS, Statements and other Commercial printing turned out neatly and expediously at The Morning Star Printery. apr 6 tf

EXTRA QUALITY BOUQUET creamery butter; Heinz's fancy preserves and pickles; N. C. hams, sides, and shoulders. All fruits and vegetables in season; in fact everything in the up-to-date grocery line. Southern Trading Stamps given. S. F. Craig, 605 North Fourth. 'Phone 547. may 26 tf

FOR SALE!

Two Ten Gallon Soda Fountain,

Tin Lined Steel Tanks.

First class order; also, one Brand New Soda Gas Guage. Apply to

Bernice C. Moore,
715 N. Fourth St.
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SEASHORE HOTEL,
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Just Eight Miles from Wilmington. Trolley cars every 20 minutes. We now have 180 large, airy bedrooms, 20 ensuite, with private bath. Hotel being but a few yards from old ocean's edge renders it cool and comfortable at all times. No malaria, no mosquitoes, no flies. Artesian water.

The finest bathing, boating and fishing along the Atlantic coast.

Bowling alley, pool and billiard hall.

The cuisine will be thoroughly up to date, embracing everything in the way of delicacies in sea foods and choice edibles.

Music the entire season by the Hotel's Celebrated Orchestra of eight pieces.

Hotel and grounds lighted by electricity.

No more delightful resort in the South. Write for descriptive booklet, rates, etc. Address.

JOE H. HINTON, Manager, Wrightsville Beach, N. C.
may 21 tf

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In a Few Minutes.

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Also REFRIGERATORS and WATER COOLERS.

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Barefoot Sandals

Children's Sizes, 5 to 8, 60 to 85c

Children's Sizes, 9 to 2, 75c to $1.00

Women's Sizes $1.25

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may 21 tf

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THE HATTER AND CLOTHIER.

for your Hats Clothing, and Gents' Furnishing Goods. Latest styles and lowest prices.

24 N. Front Street.

may 21 tf

WANTED!

5,000 Pounds Wool. Highest Cash Price paid for same.

SAM'L BEAR, SR., & SONS,

18 Market St., Wilmington, N. C.
may 6 tf

New Roe Herring!

Just received a lot of New Roanoke Roe Herring, Catch of 1905. First of the season.

Wilmington Grocery Co.,
Phone 14. John L. Boatwright, Mgr.
apr 18 tf

NOTICE.

Beginning June 1st Wood will be delivered to residents on the Beach at $1.25 per load (1-4 cord). Deliveries will be made between 6.00 and 7.00 o'clock A. M. daily except Sunday. Leave orders at the Pavilion.
C. R., L. & P. CO.
may 19 1m.

JACKSON SPRINGS, N. C.

Opening May 25, 1905.

The Hotel at Jackson Springs will be opened to the public on the 25th day of May, 1905. The company desires to thank the public for its liberal patronage in the past and guarantee the same good service and attention in the future. There is no other place in North Carolina where a person can realize the pleasures and benefits to be derived from a visit to thehealing waters of Jackson Springs.

Now under new management of the experienced and efficient

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Special Offerings

A ten barrel turpentine still especially good for making fine rosin, for sale cheap.

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'Phone 111. Proprietors.
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